The Journey

This is to one very
ice person! It
is good to have you
in some of my classes.
I hope your future
shows you the best of
times. Good-luck after
High School,

T/T Larae

Hey girl, stay beautiful
always stay your beautiful
because you are. I wish you
all of luck in the future and
you get where and whatever you
life because you deserve it.
You Ya you
Friends forever
Cindy

The Journey.

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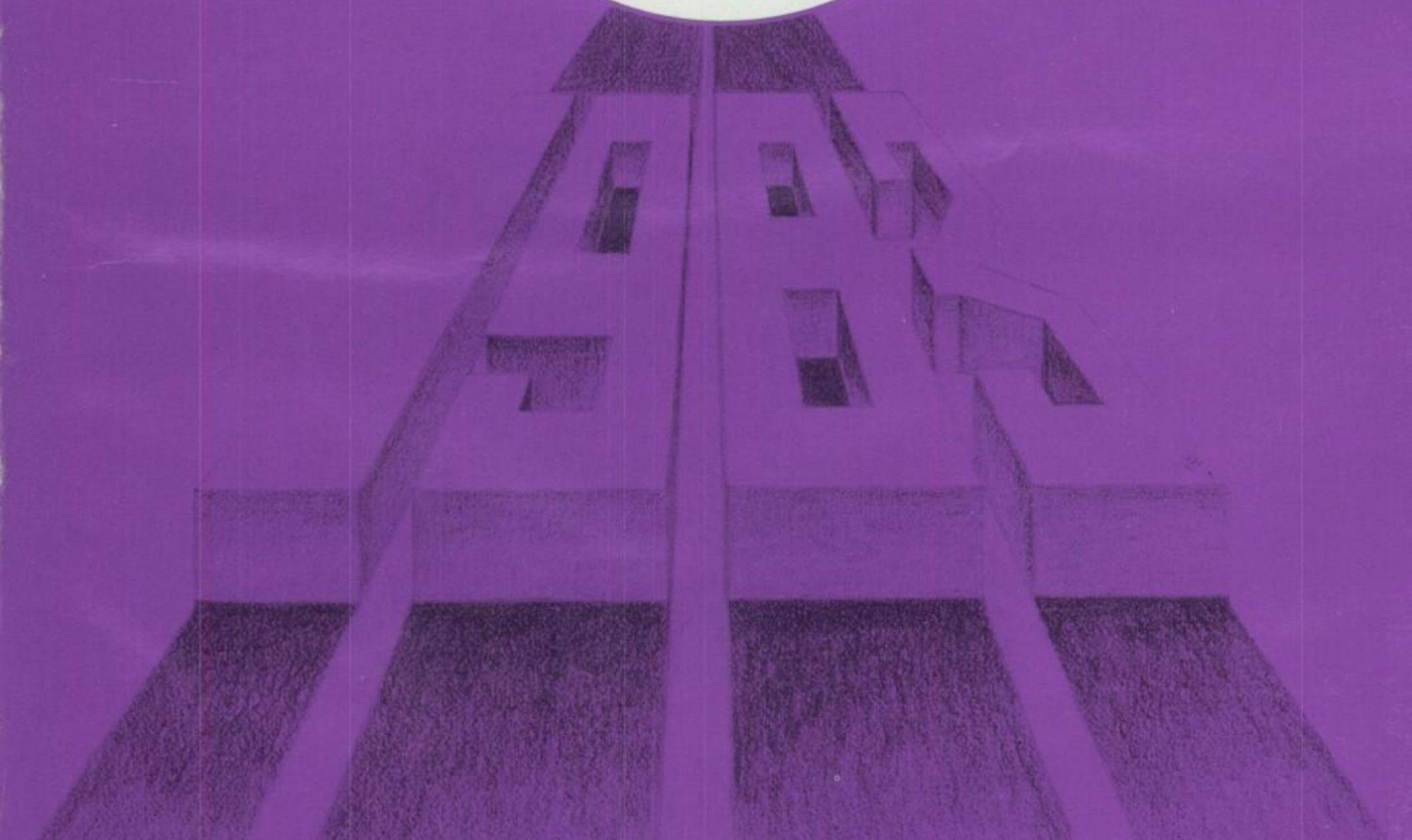


DEDICATION

We the class of 1983 remember our former classmate, and would like to say a special thanks to our parents.

IN MEMORY OF CORNELL JENSEN:

Cornell, our special classmate and friend, would have really enjoyed our Senior year here at WHS because of his love for athletics. Even though he would not have been able to physically participate, he would have been there helping out in any way that he could. Because of his true love of track, his family established the Cornell Jensen Memorial award; which will always keep him alive in our hearts.

To his family we express our sympathy, and in this way we hope Cornell's memory will carry through the years with us – the CLASS OF 1983.

TO OUR PARENTS

Words cannot express our gratitude to you for the countless things that you have done for us. You have sacrificed so many things so that we could be involved in all of the activities that we enjoy. When we should have been home, but had a late practice, you didn't seem to mind. During football season, you faithfully washed our dirty, muddy uniforms, so we would look right for the next game. You have had faith in us, and never laughed at our dreams, though they may have seemed impossible to reach. You have always been there, to celebrate with us our victories, but also to console us in our defeats. You have dedicated your lives to us and to helping us reach the goals that we have set. It is not enough to say, but Thank You – for everything. You have been our inspiration and we will never forget all that you have done for us. For everything that you have been, we say thanks, and the memories that you have given us will carry through the years with us – the CLASS OF 1983.

The Tourney.

VOLLEYBALL

WILDCATS

FOOTBALL

HOMECOMING

Junior Attendants: Jesse Johnson, Katie Johnson, Joy Schuknecht, Brandon Boeck

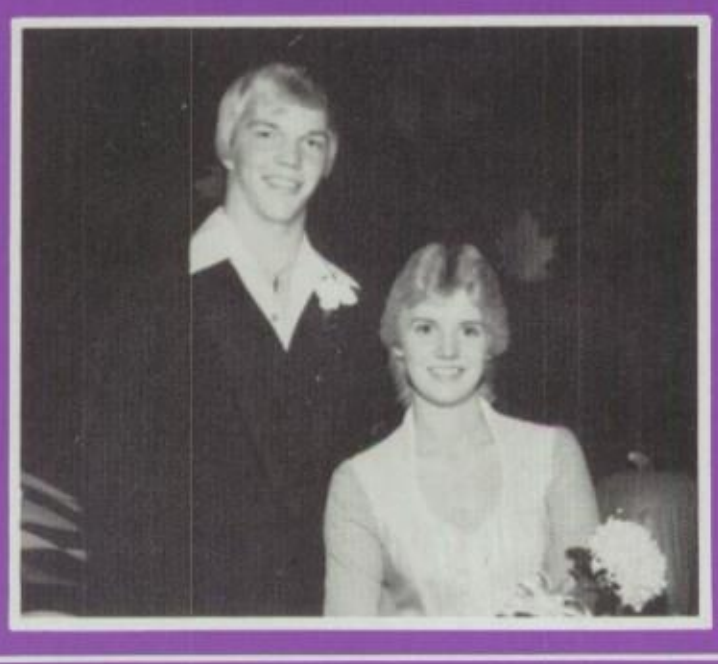
Mike Weiske, Kari Bakken

Steve Elzenga, Lynn Howley

Gregg Bunting, Rebecca Bloch

Mike Norstegard, Nancy Morton

Curt Mischke, Jann Dibble

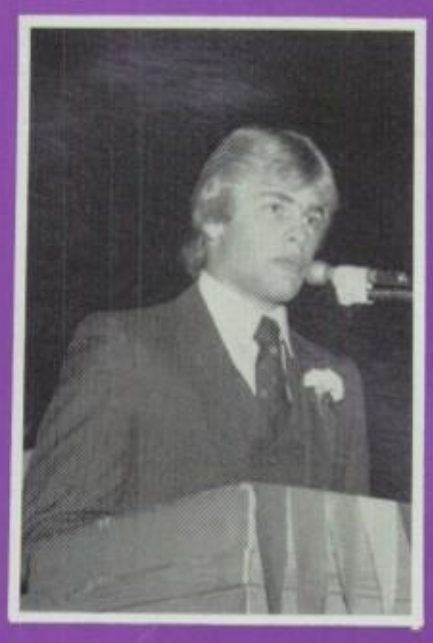


Paul Rongstad, Joan Howley

ROYALTY

Mike Norstegard, Tri-Captian

Steve Elzenga, Tri-Captian



Mike Weiske, Tri-Captian

Jim Lamb, Master of Ceremonies

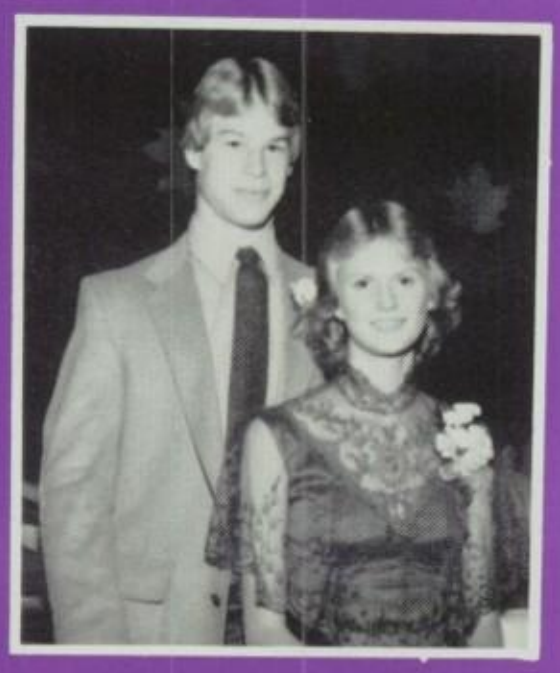
Nancy Morton, Mistress of Ceremonies

Judeen Busswitz, Pianist

Eric Nelson, Soloist

Usher and Usherette, Dean Anderson and Becky Olson

Junior Attendants, Paul Vosberg and Denise Shaw



Sophomore Attendants, Perry Bunting and Kim Spielman

Freshmen Attendants, Dale Mischke and Heather Anderson

Front Row: Jesse Johnson, Katie Johnson, Joy Schuknecht, Brandon Boeck. Second Row: Becky Olson, Nancy Morton, Jann Dibble, 1982 Homecoming Queen Kari Bakken, 1982 Homecoming King Gregg Bunting, Kim Spielman, Denise Shaw, Heather Anderson. Third Row: Dean Anderson, Mike Norstegard, Steve Elzenga, Curt Mischke, Rebecca Bloch, Mike Weiske, Lynn Howley, Paul Rongstad, Joan Howley, Perry Bunting, Paul Vosberg, Dale Mischke.

King Tim Boeck

979-80 King Ricky Ewy

1981-82 Returning Homecoming Royalty

Queen Anita Erickson

THEME PROCLAIMS: "HERE COME THE WILDCATS"

The Royal Homecoming festivities began on Monday, October 11 with dres-up day. Monday evening, King Gregg and Queen Kari were crowned and they proclaimed a fun-filled week. Tuesday was Inside-Out and Backwards day. Wednesday everyone again donned their Sunday best due to the cancellation of annual pictures on Monday. Thursday was Punk and Preppy day. Friday was the traditional Purple and Gold day (some things never change). By Friday night everyone was in high spirits and looking forward (with excitement) to the toughest game to be played all season — the Brewster Bulldogs. The AWESOME Wildcats came away with another victory with a score of 28-24. Once again the not so annual bonfire was cancelled. Following the football game, the Homecoming dance was held at the Legion and music was provided by "Split Image". Homecoming was over but it would never be forgotten.

82-83
QUEEN
KARI
KING
GREGG

Surprise! surprise!

HOMECOMING 82-83

Double vision

Oh what a night!

You call yourselves cheerleaders!

Totally awesome

Sexy senior sweeties

Paulie and the punkettes

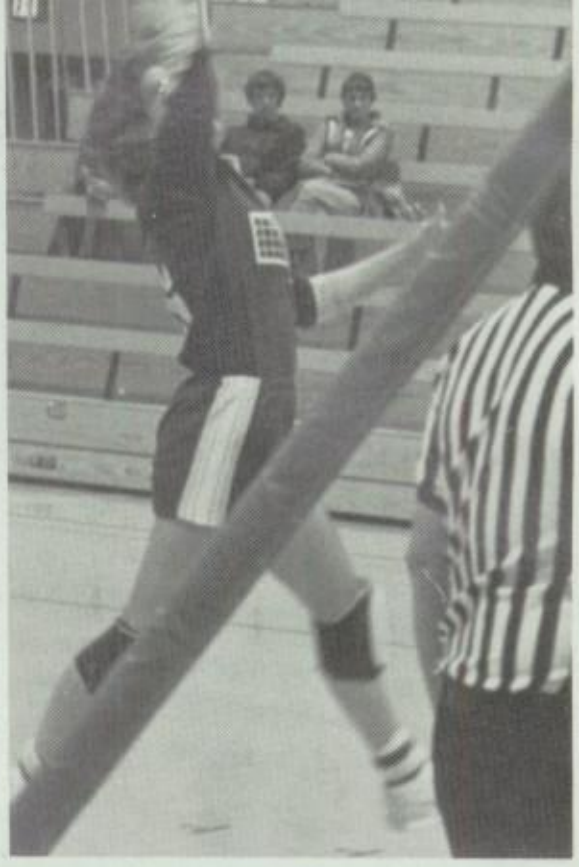
Dolly's Double

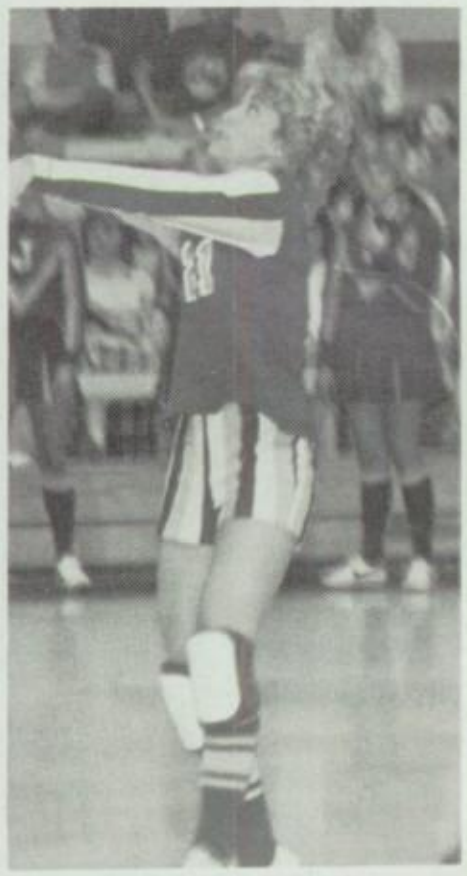
Mobsters

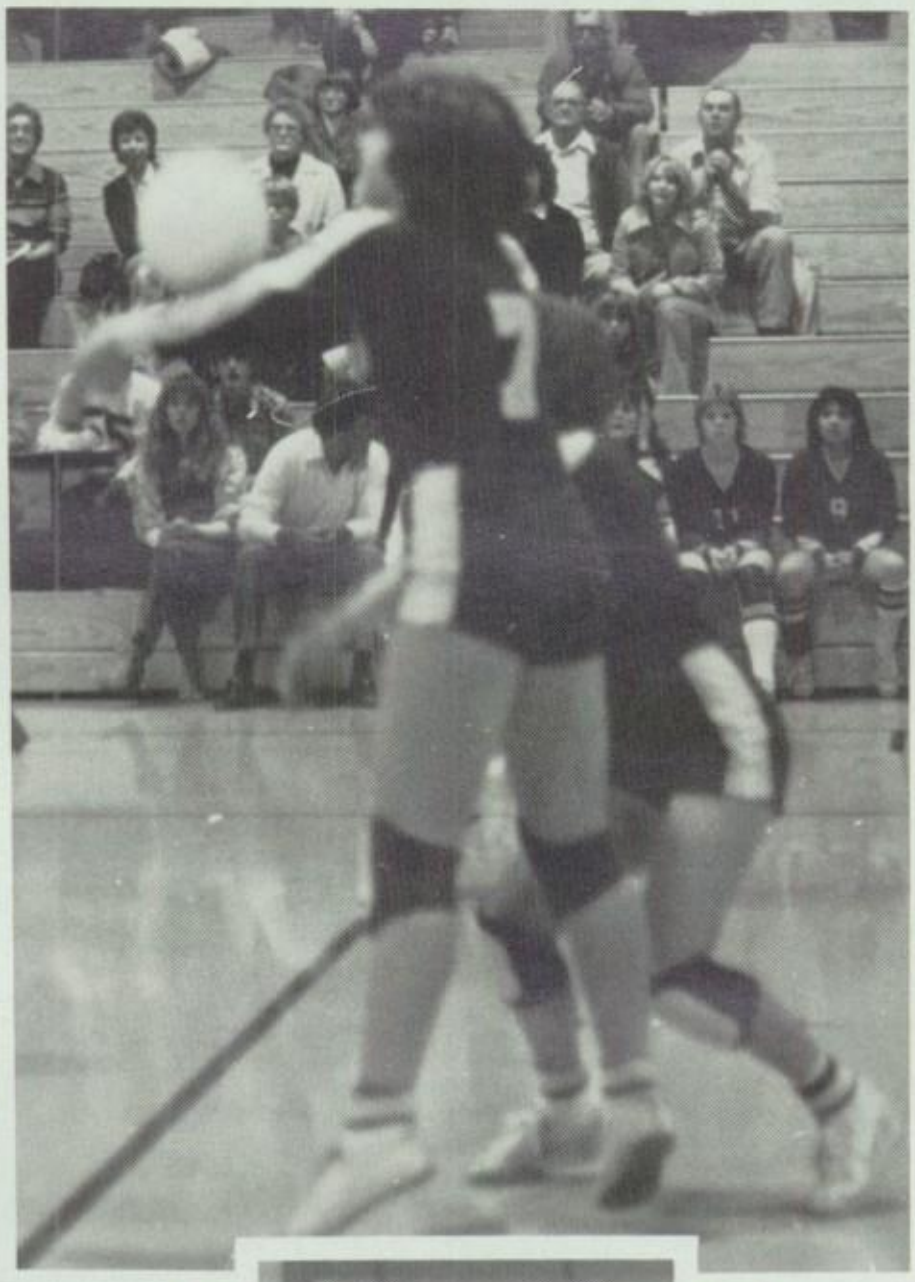
What's the occasion??

Volleyball

	We	THE
Marshall Tournament	2	0
Slayton	0	2
Walnut Grove	2	0
Minneota	1	2
Springfield		
Regular Season	0	2
Fulda	1	2
Brewster	0	2
Jackson	0	2
B-O	0	2
Sanborn	2	1
S-J	1	2
SV-RL	1	2
HL-O	2	0
Comfrey	0	2
Walnut Grove	0	2
Lamberton	0	2
Mt. Lake		
District 7		
SV-RL	0	





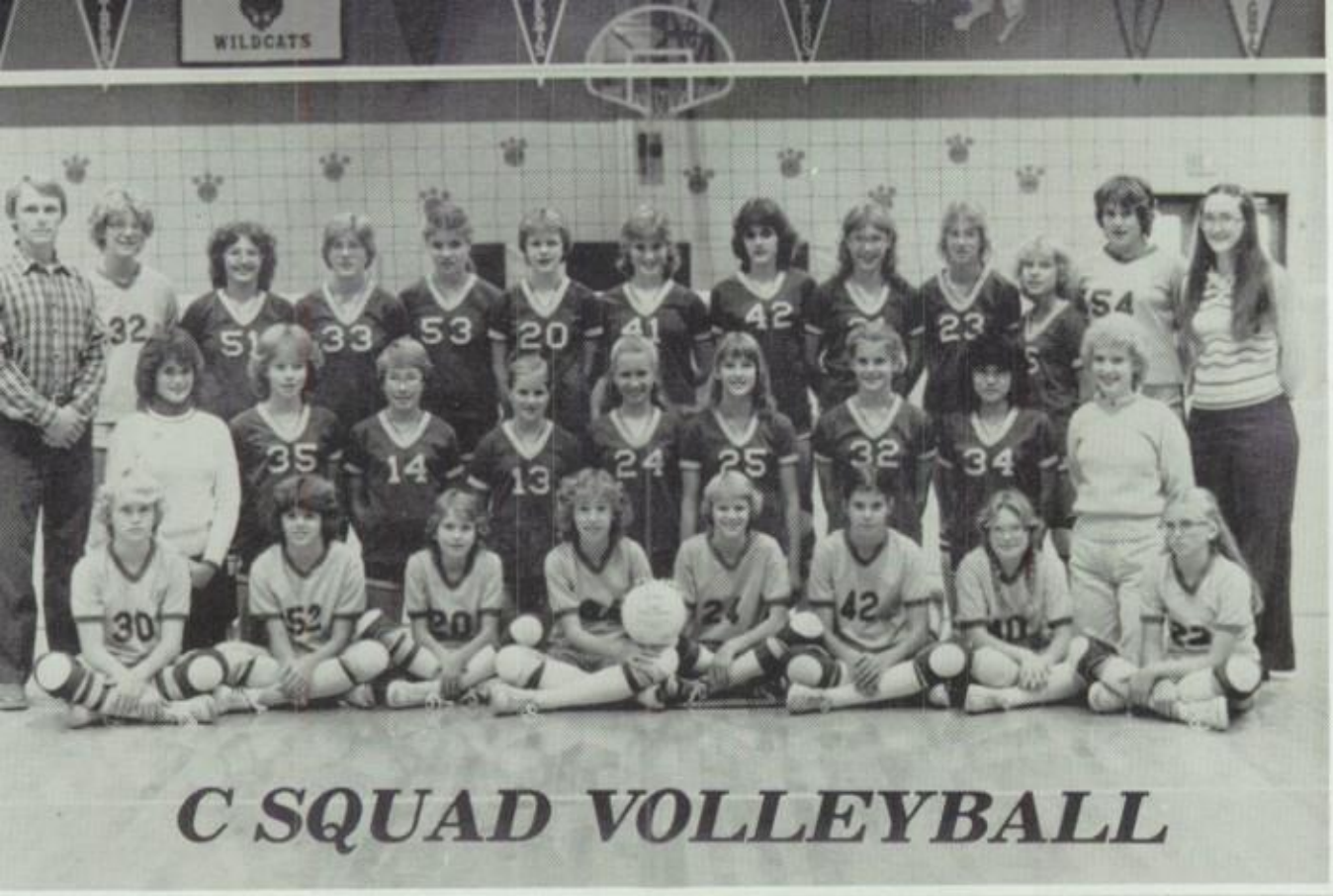


VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

ront row: Gina Christians, Manager; Kathy Schultz, Denise Shaw, Connie Sletten. 2nd row: Kelly Anderson, Manager; Hilja achuy, Sara Amundson, Kari Bakken, Alison Cohrs. 3rd row: John Amundson, Ass't Coach; Neesa Lien, Stat.; Laurie orden, Lori Soll, Lori Kuehl, Teresa Sorenseon, Becky Olson, Karin Nelsen, Stat.; Joan Bultman, Coach.

ront row: Jackie Erickson, Jan Howley, Izumi Hirakawa, Kathy Schultz. 2nd row: Neesa Lien, Stat.; Kelly Anderson, anager; Nancy Olson, Melynda Spielman, Melanie Jutting, Melissa Shaw, Lezlie Shaw. 3rd row: John Amundson, Coach; arie Amundson, Petra Vos, Heather Anderson, Lori Kuehl, Jaque Vos, Linda Byers, Karin Nelsen, Stat.; Joan Bultman, oach.

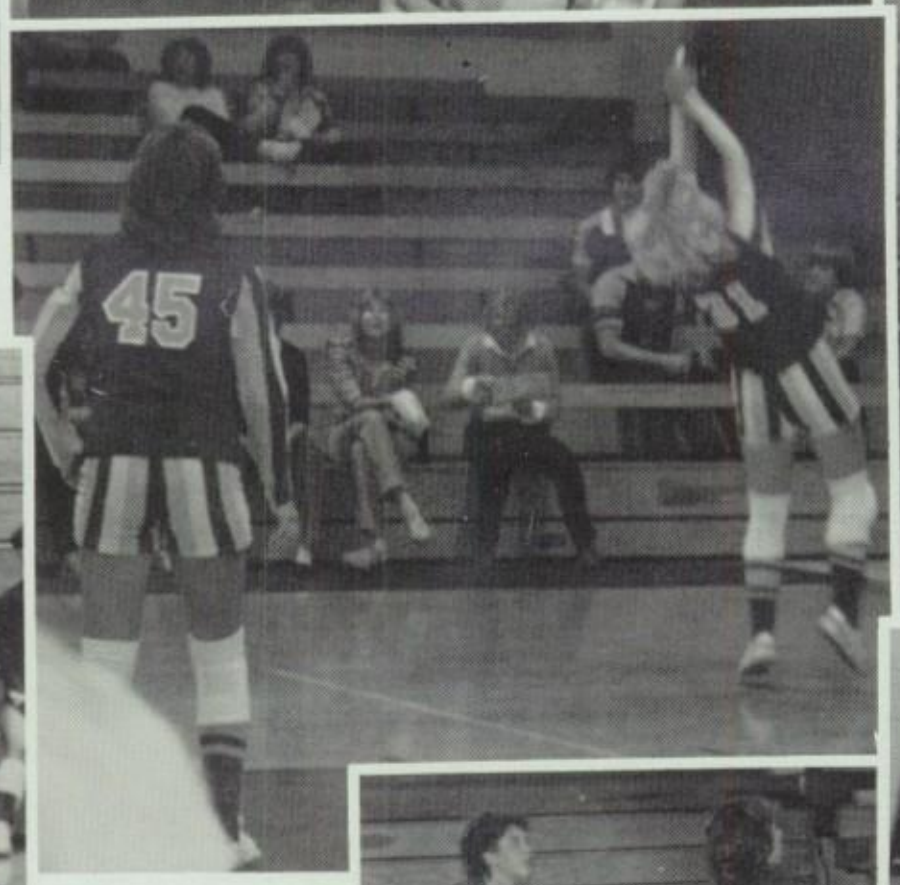
B SQUAD VOLLEYBALL

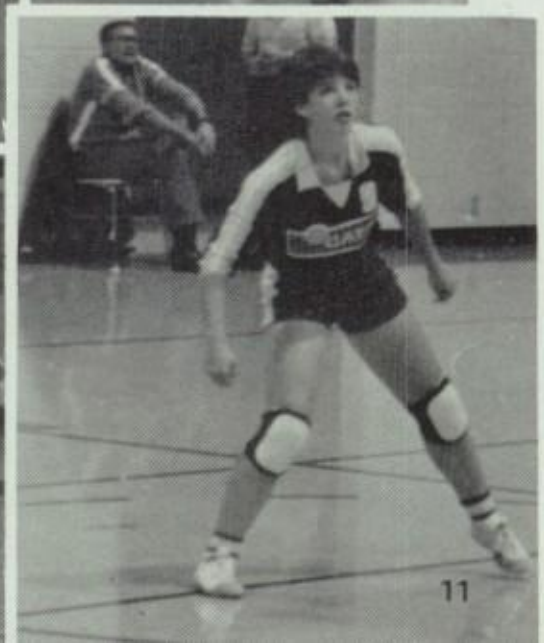


C SQUAD VOLLEYBALL

Front Row: Barbara Kapp, Lisa Erickson, Lynn Hanson, Jackie Klasse, Kari Gertner, Ranae Vosberg, Linda Clayton, Havinne Anderson. 2nd Row: Neesa Lien, stat.; Linda DeBates, Angie Bultman, Keela Bakken, Jennie Cohrs, Nicole Lindaman, Michelle Phillips, Izumi Hirakawa, Karin Nelsen, stat. 3rd Row: Doug Anderson, coach; Natalie Heath, Diane Clayton, Jill Takle, Charmaine Rachuy, Lori Hanson, Elizabeth Nelsen, Teresa Clausen, Paula Kronback, Jeanne Jans, Angie Knakmuhs, Cheryl Sondergaard, Joyce Vortherms, Coach.

VOLLEYBALL CAPTAINS: Laurie Worden-Kari Bakken



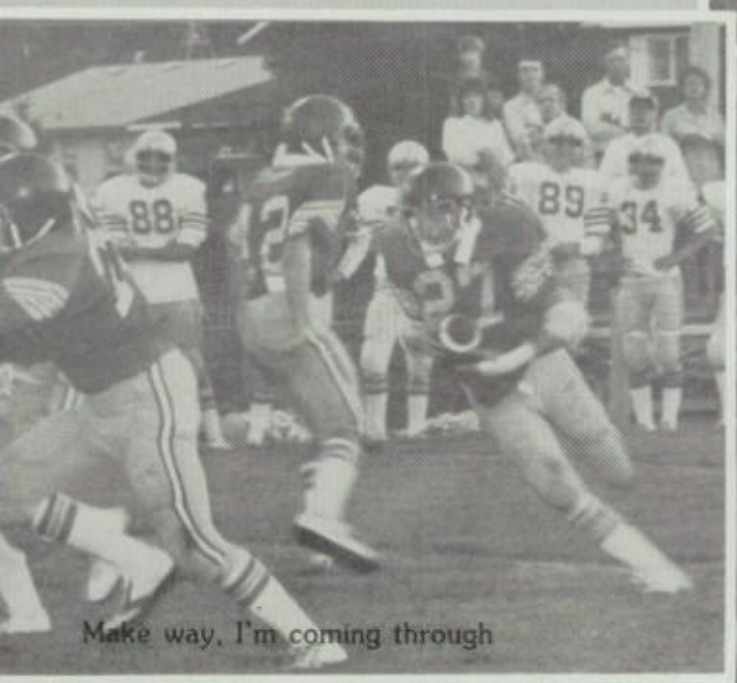


Football

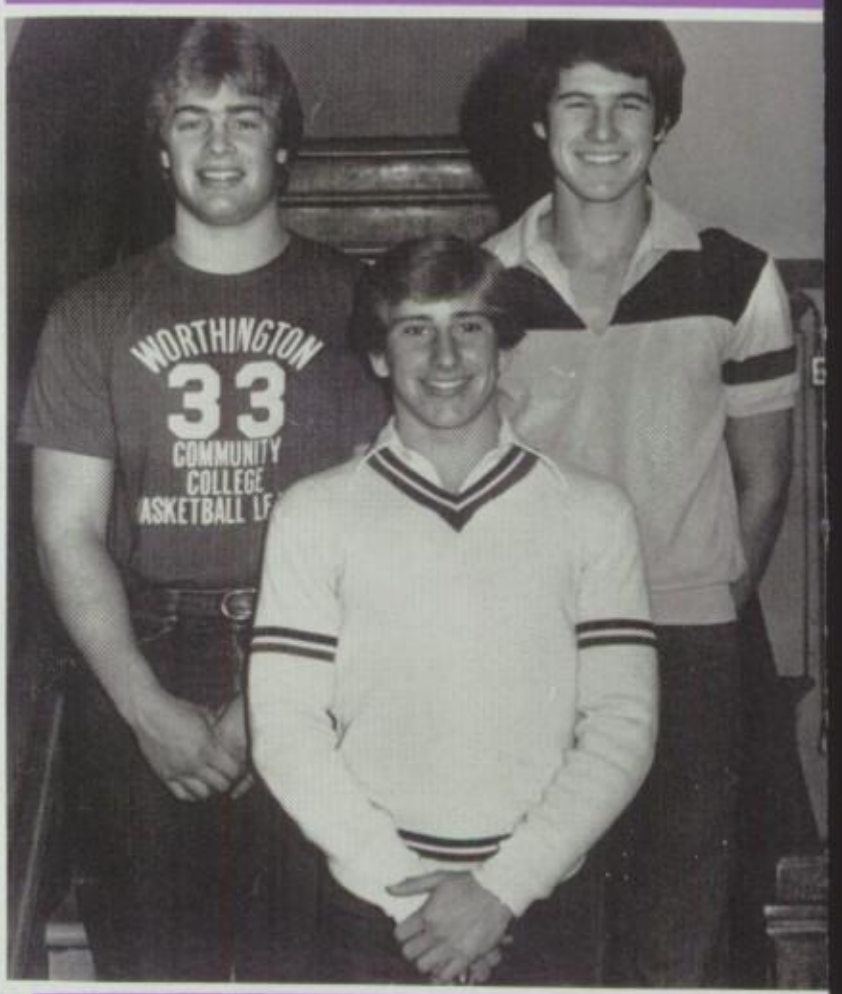
	THEY
S-J	20
SV-RL	6
HL-0	9
Comfrey	6
Walnut Grove	6
Lamberton	0
Brewster	24
B-0	14
Sanborn	7
Interconference Play-off	
Hendricks	3
State Quarter-Finals	
Welcome	6
State Semi-Finals	
Silver Lake	19
State Finals	
Fergus Falls Hillcrest Lutheran Academy	12

Good catch

ALL CONFERENCE: BJ Madson, Curt Mischke, Kurt Villa, Steve Elzenga, Mike Weiske, Mark Schoborg, David Schmidt



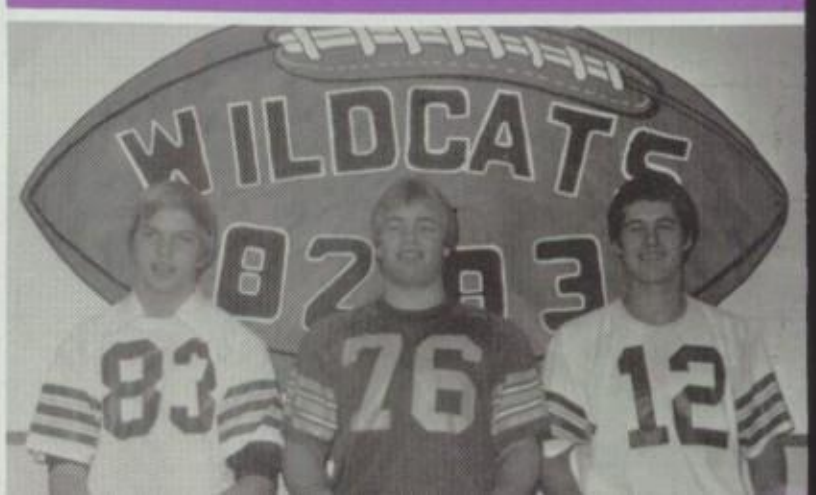
Make way, I'm coming through

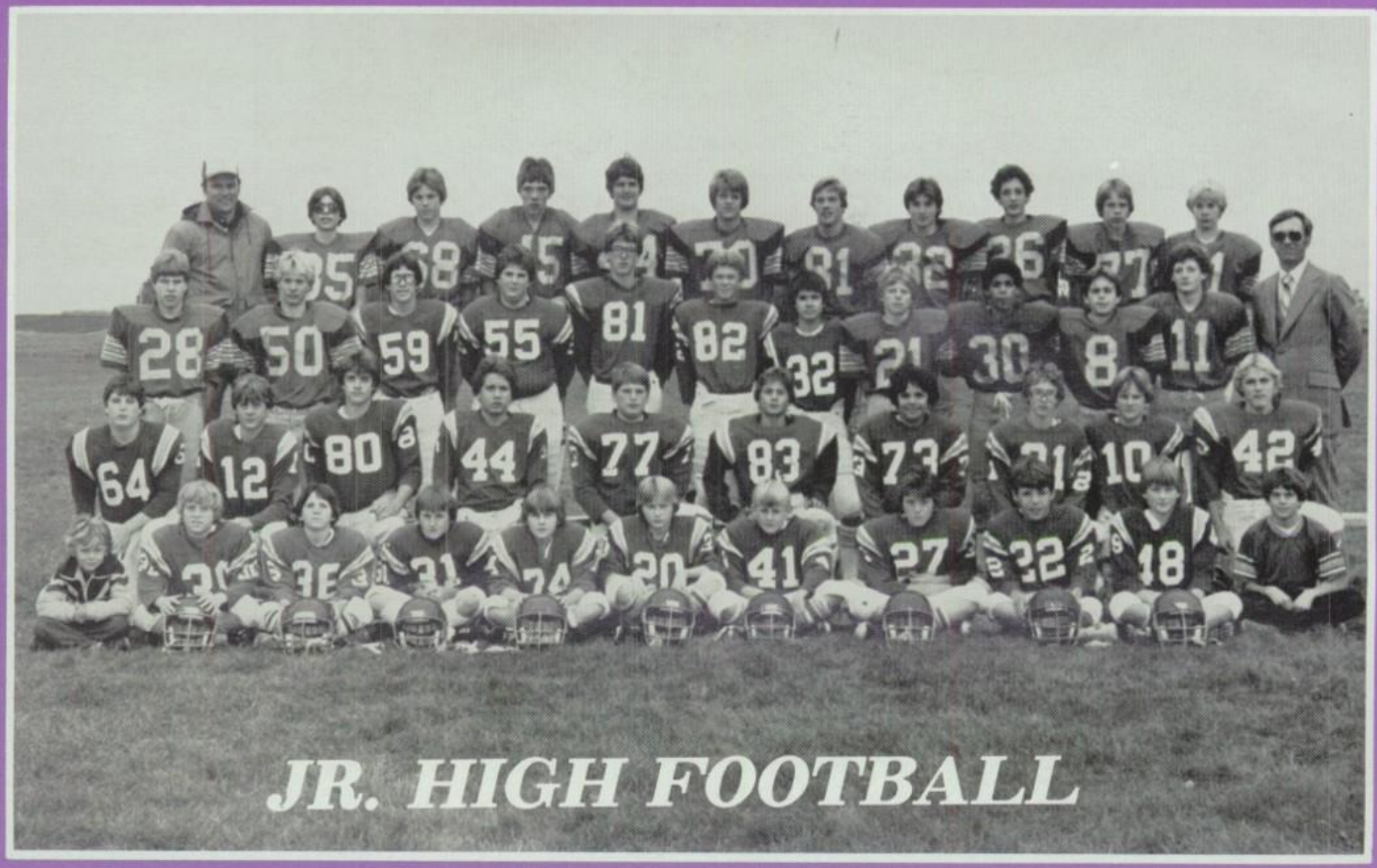


A well deserved break

ALL AREA: BJ Madson, Mike Weiske, Steve Elzenga

ALL STATE 9-MAN TEAM: Curt Mischke, Mike Weiske, Steve Elzenga





JR. HIGH FOOTBALL

Front row: Jeff Debates, Manager; Christian Nelsen, Lonnie Ewy, Sheldon Olson, David Richardson, Mark Ennenga, Troy Ditsworth, Bradley Berg, Joey Merchant, Bruce Byers, Kevin Mischke, Student Manager. 2nd row: Jeff Weis, Maury Kuehl, Shannon Sack, Fred Hage, David Bloch, Keith Kottke, Jeff Steen, Mike White, Paul Reynolds, Curt Yochem. 3rd row: Erik Benson, Danny Weiske, Dennis Jans, Ryan Rupp, Brian Klute, Todd Severson, Ricky Elzenga, Daron Rupp, Jim Kvilhaug, Mark Kjorness, Jay Christians, Jim Soll, Ass't. Coach. 4th row: Gary DeBates, Coach; Scott Mischke, Loren Noomen, Mike Vaupel, Bret Lindaman, Jason Erickson, Dale Mischke, Jim Marshall, Corey Bunting, David Nelsen, David Weiske.

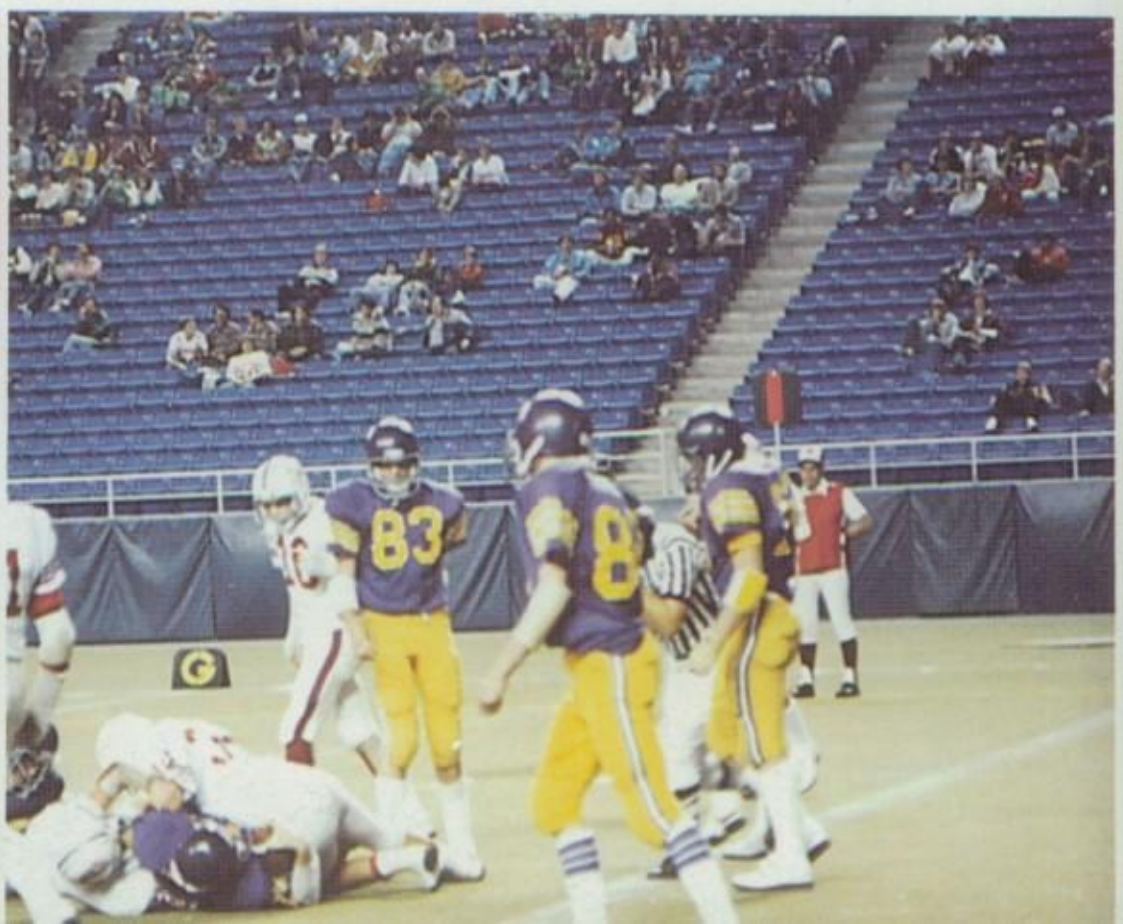
Robin Cohrs, Karin Nelsen, Karron Bloch, Jann Dibble, Christie Christensen.

CAPTAINS: Mike Weiske, Mike Norstegard, Steve Elzenga

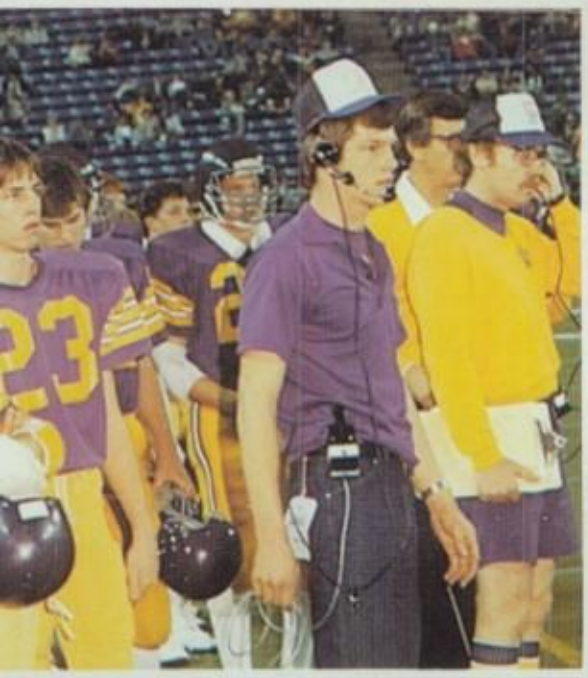
ALL STATE 9-MAN HONORABLE MENTION: Mark Schoborg, BJ Madson

1982 STATE 9-MAN CHAMPIONS

ront row: Student Managers Daniel White and Jonathan Amundson. Second row: Statistician Monte Nelson, Scott Mischke, Mark Kjorness, James vilhaug, Cheerleaders: Jann Dibble, Karin Nelsen, Robin Cohrs, Karron Bloch, Christie Christensen; Ryan Rupp, Corey Bunting, Jay Christians, tatistician, John Kapp. Third row: Garth Gertner, Dirk Dittersdorf, Dale Mischke, David Weiske, Ancil Reynolds, David Nelsen, Erik Benson, Danny Veiske, Mike Schultz, Tim Spielman, Lee Mischke, Lee Paplow, Todd Timgren, Student Manager, Steve Erickson, Head Coach, William "Bill" White. ourth row: Asst. Coach, Gary DeBates; Nathan Pederson, Eric Nelsen, Kurt Villa, Paul Rongstad, Perry Bunting, Cory Uhlenhopp, Jason Erickson, Bruce Madson, Jim Marshall, Curt Mischke, Mike Weiske, Dean Anderson, Curt Horkey, Bret Lindaman, Mike Vaupel, Asst. Coach, Jim Soll. Fifth ow: Mike Norstegard, Scott Elzenga, Doug Gertner, David Fowler, Brian Phipps, Steve Burns, Mark Schoborg, Gregg Bunting, David Schmidt, Steve lzenga, Bob Madson, Loren Noomen, Student Manager Eric Grams, Asst. Coach David Mischke, Ath. Director, Steve Kjorness.

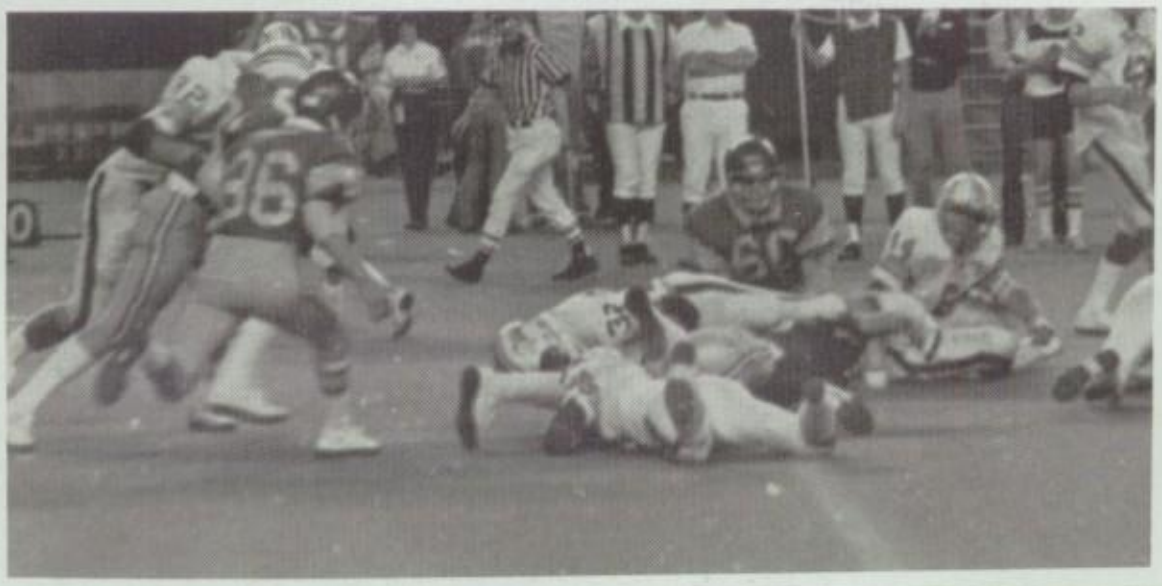


RUN
BY
#33
MIKE
SCHULTZ
SENIOR
BACK

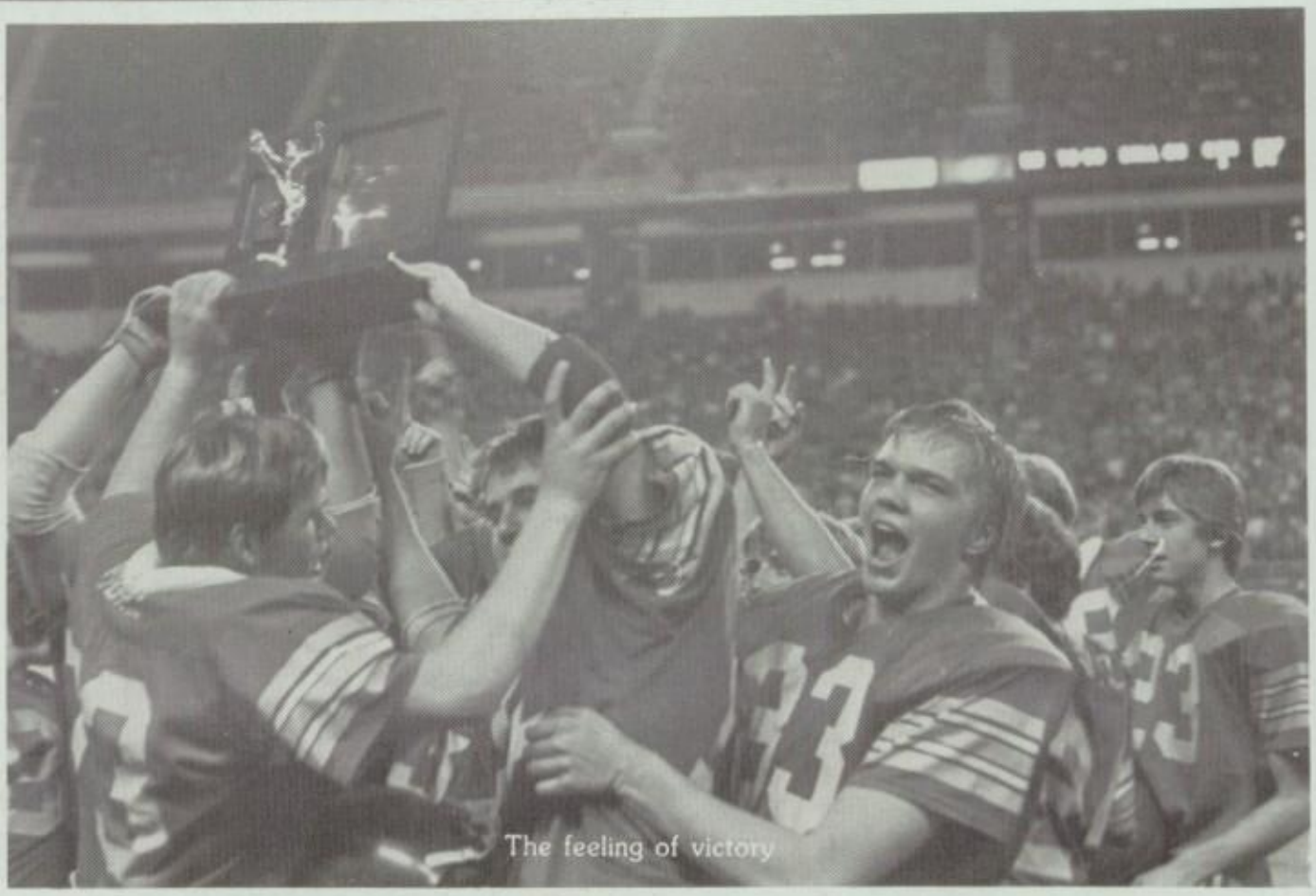


The end of the past

Parade of players



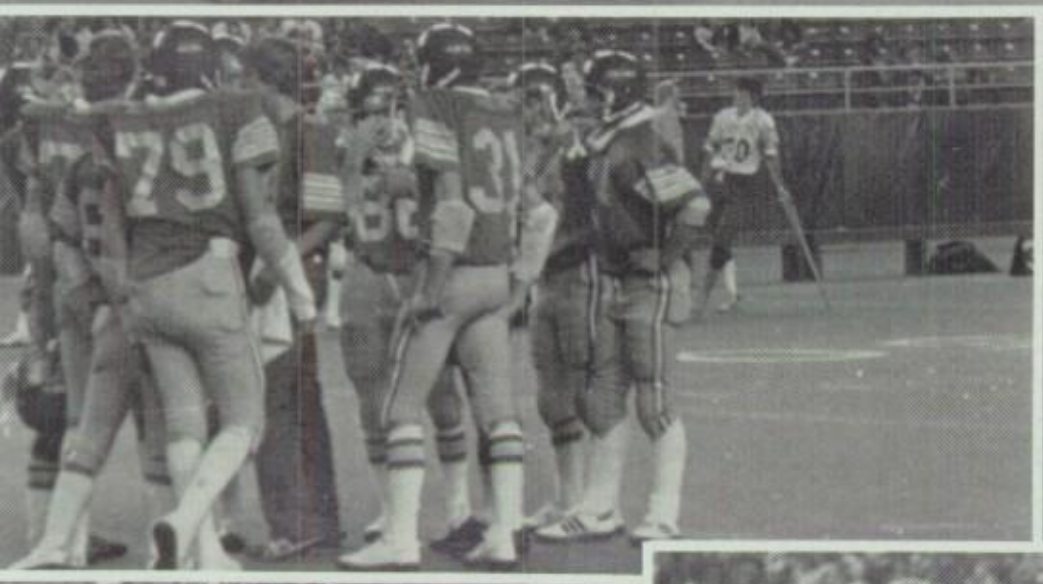
Nerves of steel

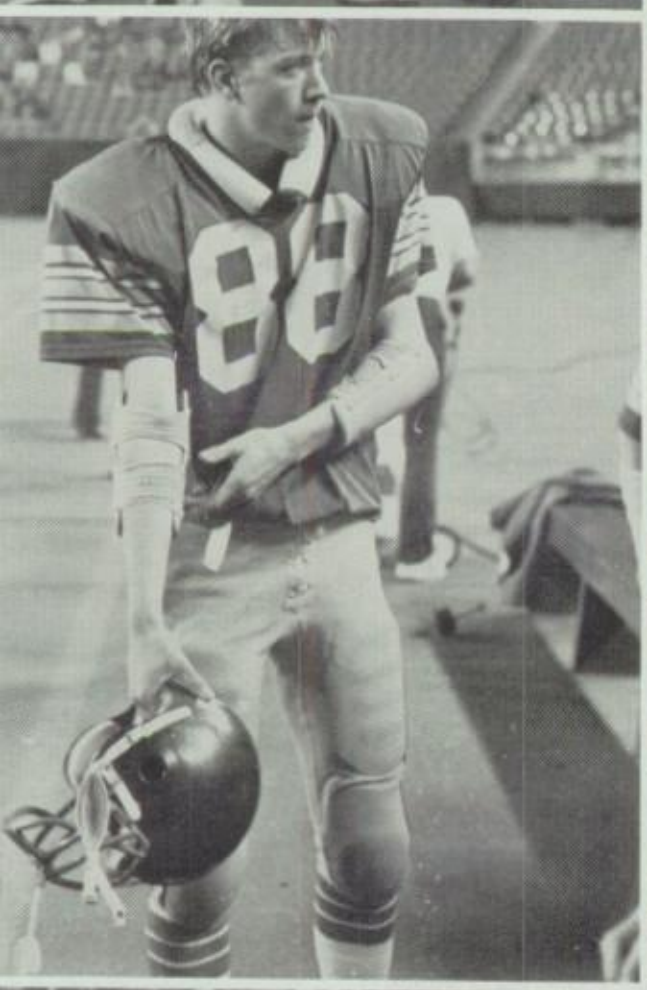


The feeling of victory

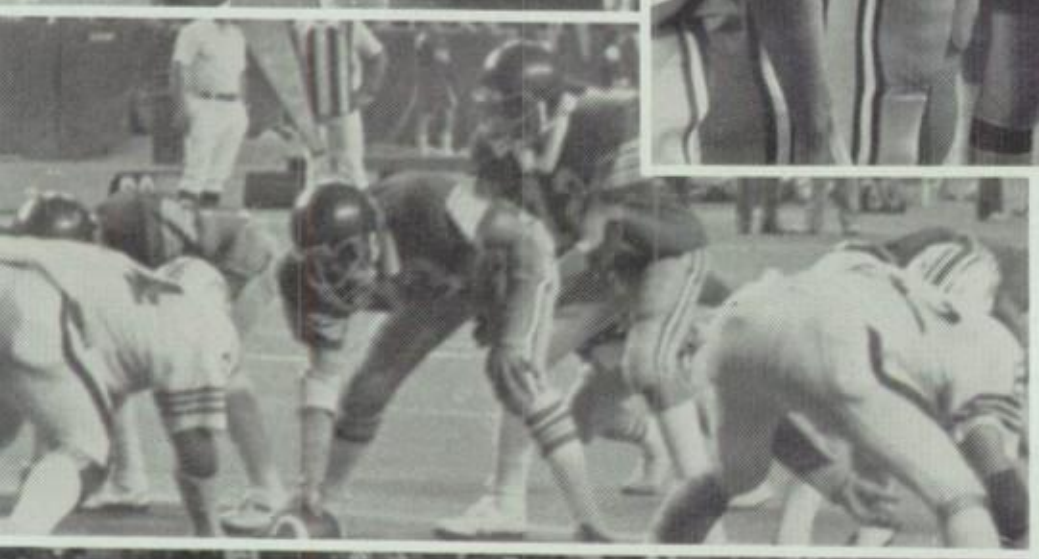
Going Down!

OK, now Steve





Westbrook's own
Bud Grant



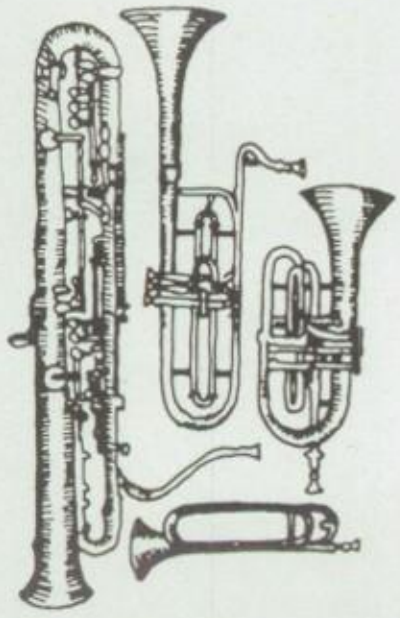
Stump

Ready

CATS BRING HOME FIRST STATE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Not rain, or snow, or sleet, or hail kept the Wildcats from their prevail. To get to the HHH Metrodome, the Wildcats had to battle all those conditions and more, and while doing so they achieved a perfect 12-0 season record. Before attaining their goal for the year, the Cats had to over come a tough conference schedule. S-J, HLO, and Brewster, among others, met their fate when they faced the powerful Westbrook machine. After capturing the Red Rock Conference title for the second year in a row, they once again had to battle mother nature while taking on the Buffalo Ridge Conference Champs - the Hendricks Huskies. It was a "cat and dog" battle, but the gridiron master minds of Westbrook left the Huskies snowed under with a 16-3 final score. As the journey continued, the Welcome Wildcats were the next foe to be conquered. There still was a difficult step to take before they could find shelter in the Metrodome: the Silver Lake Lakeites. Over 75 volunteers gathered on the ice and snow covered field to clear the way for the semi-final game. The Lakeites went skating and were left frozen as the Cats reigned victorious, 34-19. The conditions were perfect for the final game against the Comets from Fergus Falls: they were at the dome. The Comet's flame was readily extinguished by the team from the small town of Westbrook that proved to the state of Minnesota that they could play football. With a final score of 34-12, the Cats over powered their final opponent and captured the 9-Man trophy. At the start of the regular season, the Cats had the courage to dream of the Championship and after many long hours battling fierce obstacles and almost every type of weather, the Cats went for the Gold ... and won!

Front Row: Paul Anderson, Paula Kronback, Lori Soll, Joan Howley, Nancy Morton, Lezlie Shaw, Marnee Ennenga, Diane Clayton, Tom Lindstrom, Judeen Busswitz. 2nd Row: Charlene Rachuy, Gina Christians, Pamela Sletten, Christie Christensen, John Kapp, Mary Dold, Marie Amundson, Becky Olson, Kari Bakken. 3rd Row: Eric Nelsen, Becky Lidtke, Alison Cohrs, Denise Shaw, Connie Sletten, Beth Ennenga, Marilyn Schmitt, Ruth Larson. 4th Row: Jim Heath, Jeanne Jans, Jill Takle, David Hydukovich, Director; Garth Gertner, Hilja Rachuy, Sara Amundson. 5th Row: Kim Spielman, Rhonda Vosberg, Shelly Byers, Heather Anderson, Elizabeth Nelsen, Neesa Lien. 6th Row: Bruce Pederson, Nancy Burns, Lowell Noomen, Susan Chapman, Cheri Ross. 7th Row: Linda Chapman, Matthew Willemssen, Jon Buss, Lynn Byers, Kerri Jans, Janet Jenson, Lisa Cohrs, Naomi Lindstrom, Charmaine Rachuy, Shari Singer.



ity is the root of all

"Where's California when you need it."

"We're ready for anything!"

"Feet don't fail me now!!"

follow me!

allas Cowgirls here we come?!!!

R-ing!

She ain't heavy, she's my buddy!

The Journey.

Deb,

I really don't know where to start, there are so many things I want to say in appreciation and thanks for the so many things you have done for me and the support you have given to me. You are <u>everything</u> a friend could possibly be. You have looked thru the bad in me and shown me so many good things about myself when I've needed it so badly. Again, I will say how I am so very happy and glad that we have gotten back to being such good friends. I am glad you have pulled me away from the bad influences "some people" have had on me. You will always hold a very special place within my heart because you are a very special person.

The past year has been the greatest years. And this will be even better. I know I'll miss you very much but at least we'll end up in the same town after High School which will make it a lot better. I know you will succeed <u>very</u> well in your future because you have such a positive outlook on life. ☺

The Very Best Of Luck in the Future!!!

I Love You, F/F

xo Shari

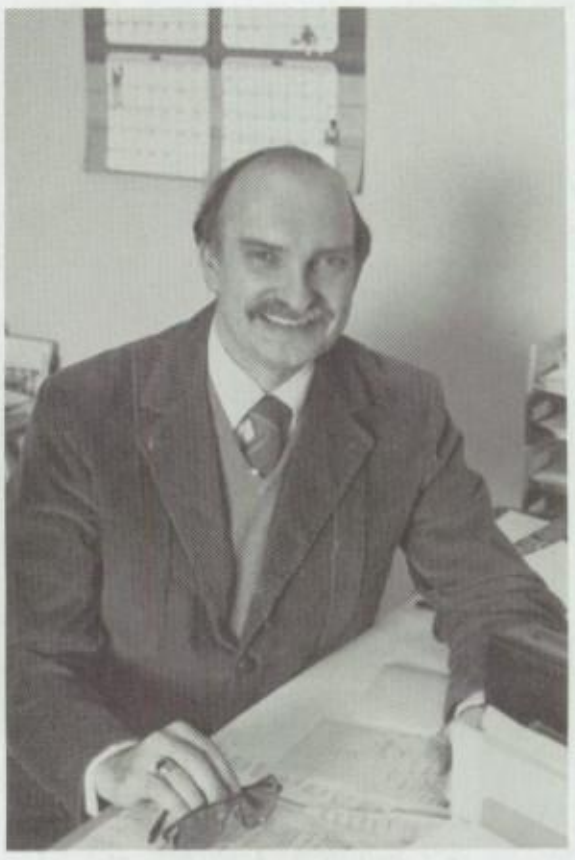
P.S. I'll never, ever forget you and I hope we continue to be friends in the future.

THE WILDCATS YEAR

ADMINISTRATION

r. William Quincey
uperintendent

Burdette Wiecks
H.S. Principal



Jerald Goehring
Elementary Principal

SCHOOL BOARD

School Board: Front row: Howard Erickson, Clerk; Dr. William Quincey, Superintendent; James Dibble, Treasurer. Second row: Marlowe Nelsen, Chairman; Vernon Cohrs, Director; Dennis Timgren, Vice Chairman; Leon Mischke, Director; Kenneth Jans, Director.

JIM SOLL: Sr. High Math, Computer

JOHN AMUNDSON: Biology, Science, Phy. Ed., Health

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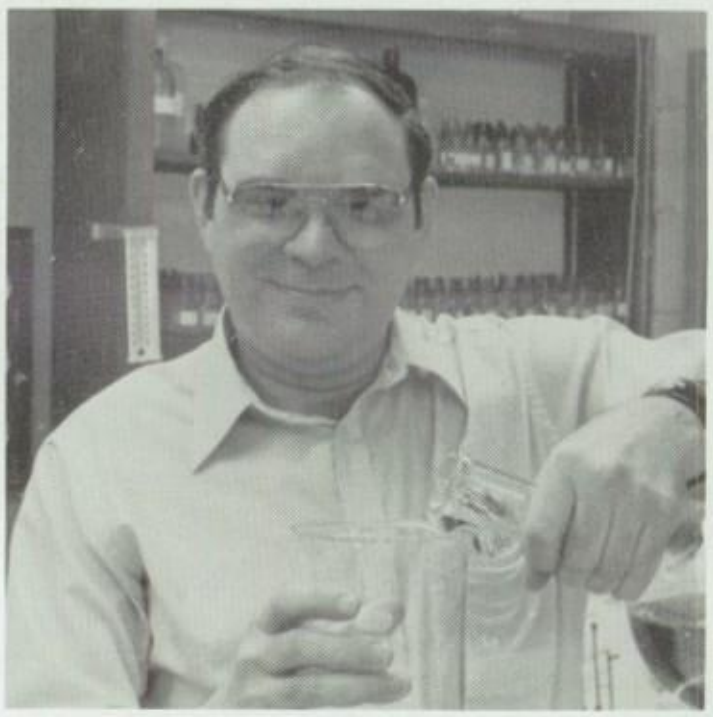
VERA RACHUY: Junior and Senior High Math



DAVID MOON: Physics, Chemistry, Science

STEVE KJORNESS: High School Counselor, History 9

LYNN ARNDT: Typing, Clerical Office Practice, Social 8

GARY DEBATES: History 10, Social 12, World Affairs

TIMMERMAN: Jr. High English, Journal-
English/Social Projects

KATHY WIECKS: English

PAUL NORTON: Sr. High English

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DORIS VAUPEL: Librarian

CONNIE BECKER: Special Ed.

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NICE WIGGINS: Home Economics

ROGER KIIHN: Industrial Arts

LARRY SANFORD: Agricul-
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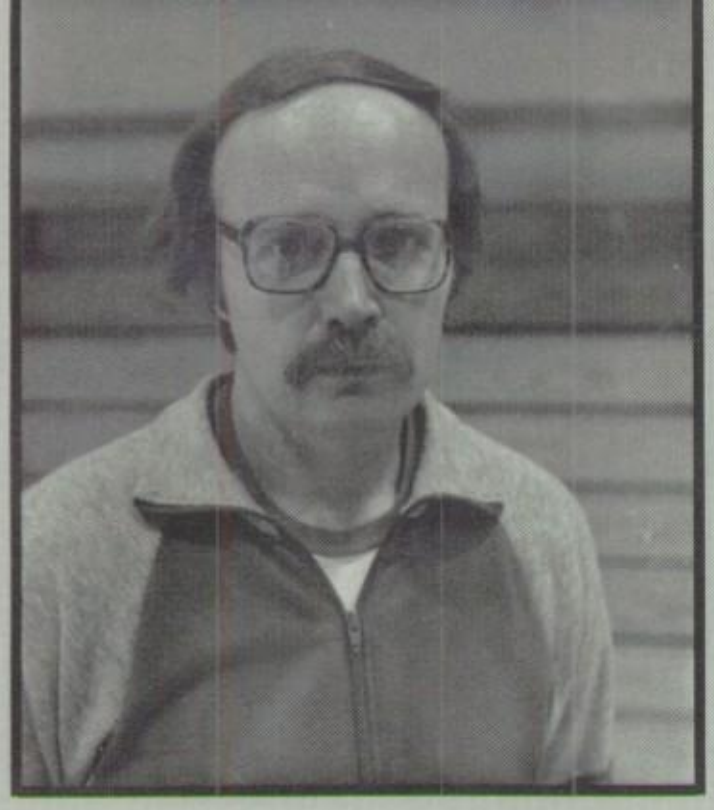
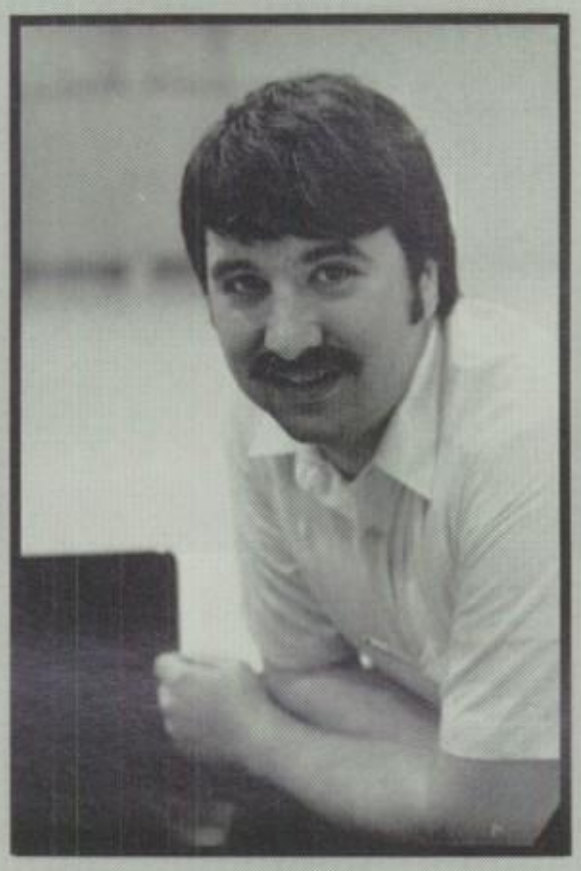


WILLIAM WHITE: Phy. Ed., Health



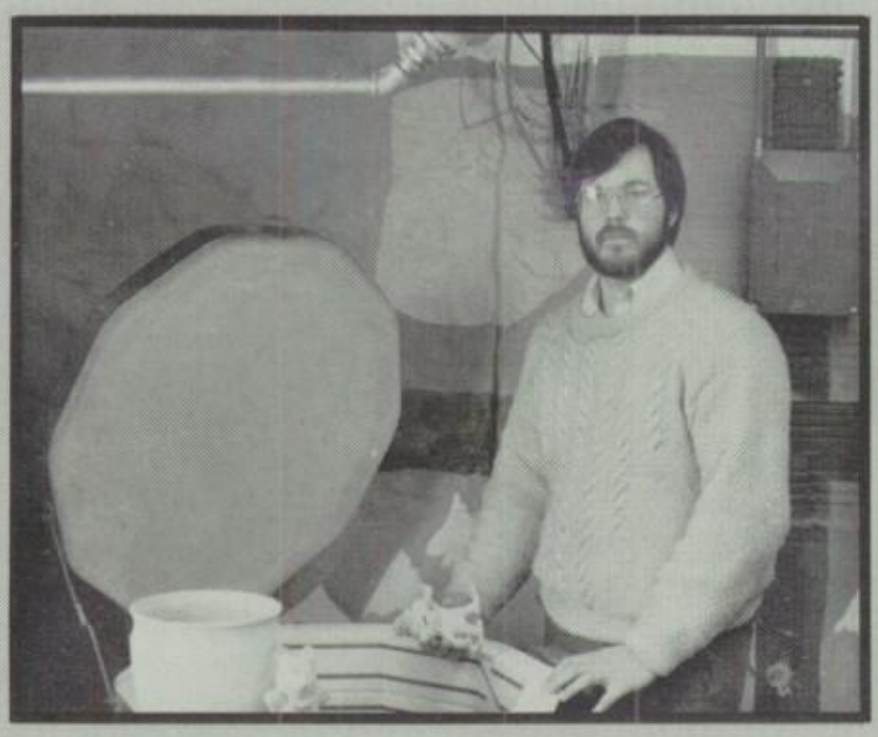
DAVID HYDUKOVICH: Band

MARY HYDUKOVICH: Jr. High Chorus

JOAN BULTMAN: Geography, Phy. Ed., Health

JOLENE DAMMANN: Sr. High Chorus, General Music

GORDON WOLF: Art



AND JANITORS

HIGH SCHOOL JANITOR: Betty Yochem

ELEMENTARY JANITOR: Floyd Nordsiden

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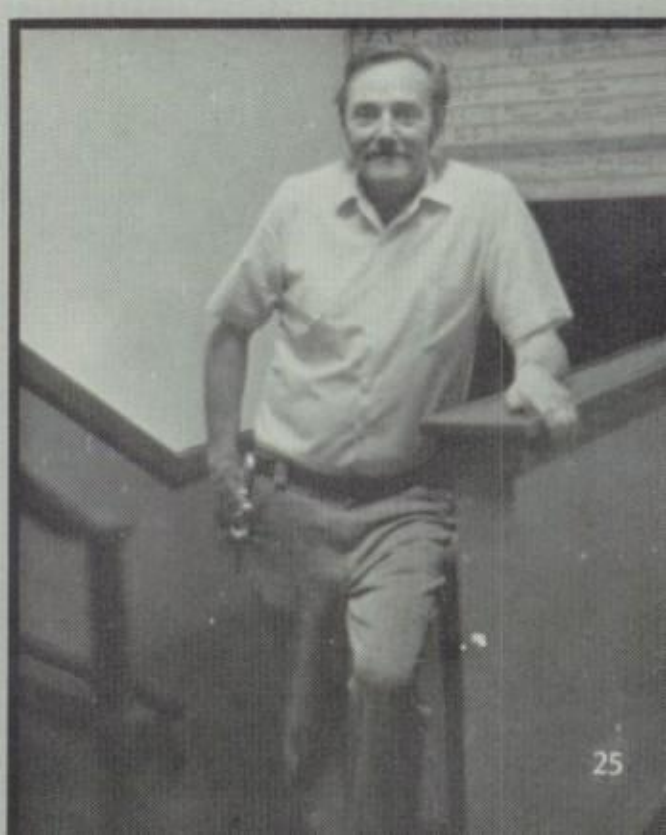

OOKS: Bonnie Wahl, Linda Bakke, Norma Phipps, Linda Madson

KITCHEN HELP: Lynn Howley, Joan Howley, Bob Shaw, Jann Dibble, Mark Caswell

N BASS: High School Secretary

CLARICE DALLENBACH: High School Secretary

DOROTHY PETERSON: School Secretary

ELL WIDMAN:
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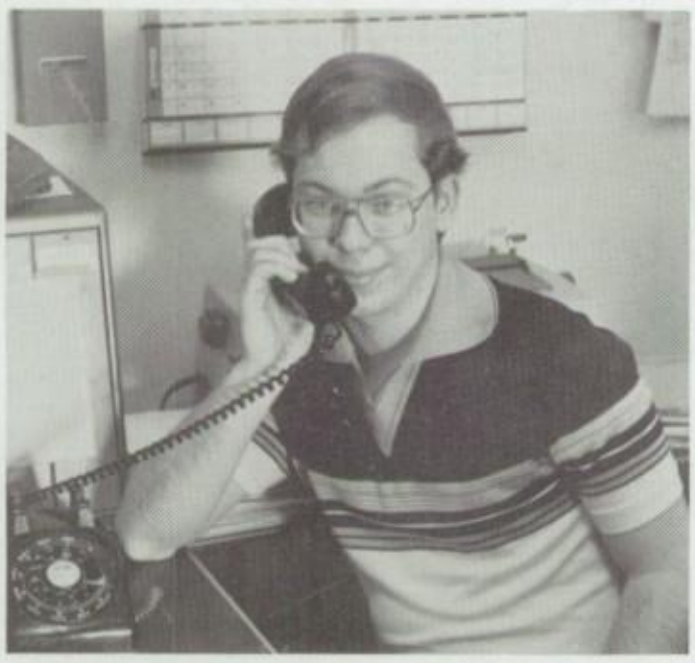
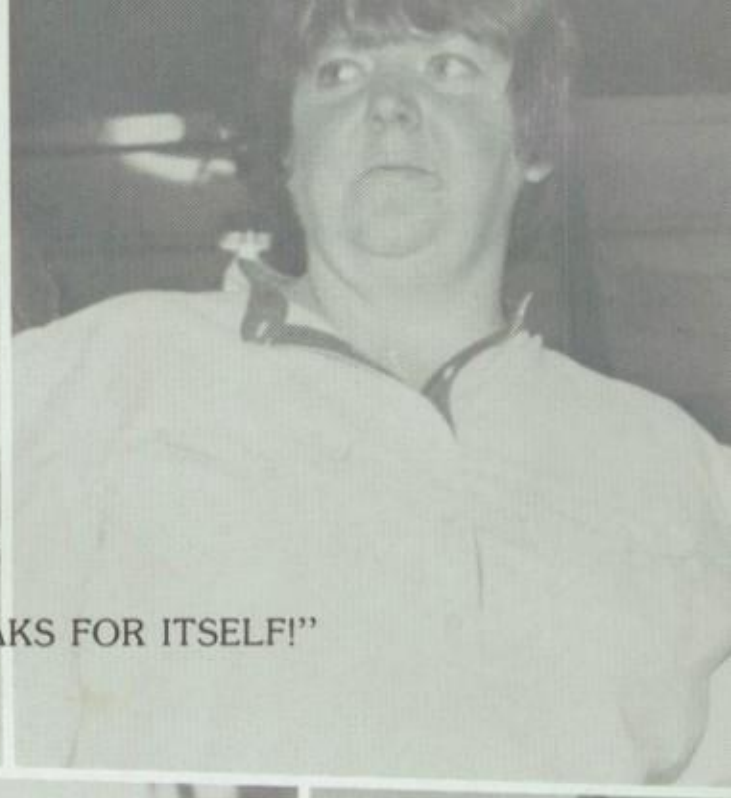


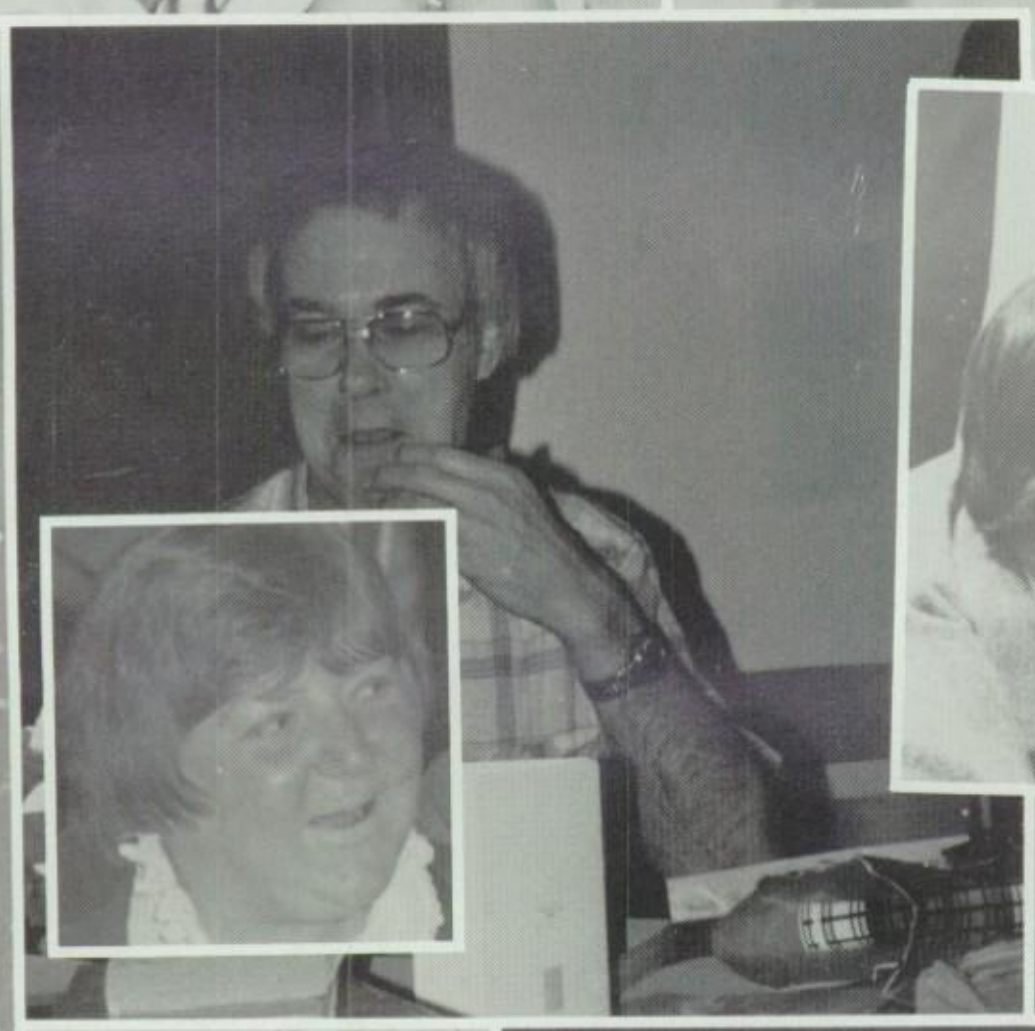
GLEN (Cactus) DUMOS: Elementary Janitor

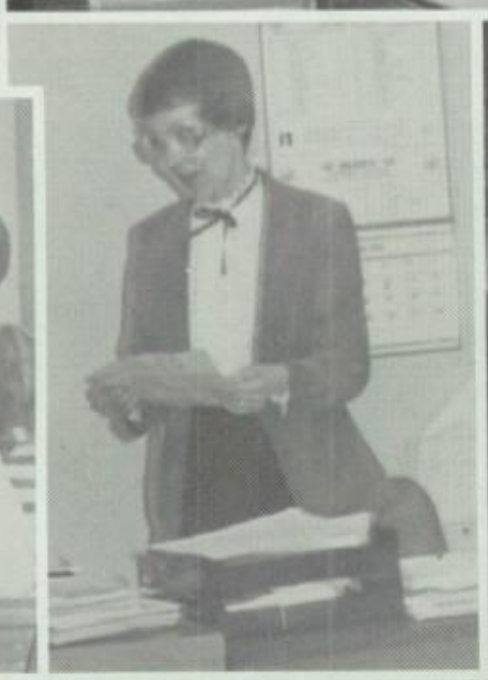
JEFF DOLD: High School Janitor

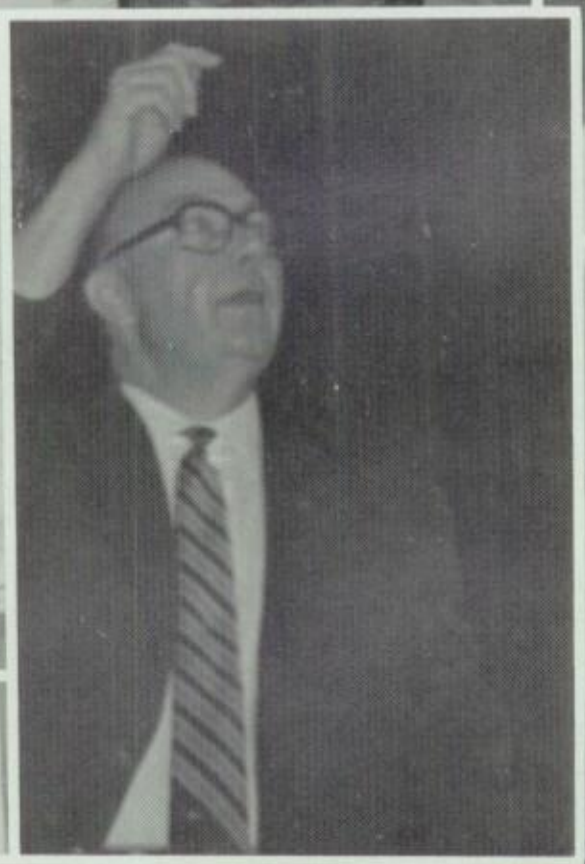
CARL OLSON: High School Janitor

NO CAPTIONS -"THIS PAGE SPEAKS FOR ITSELF!"









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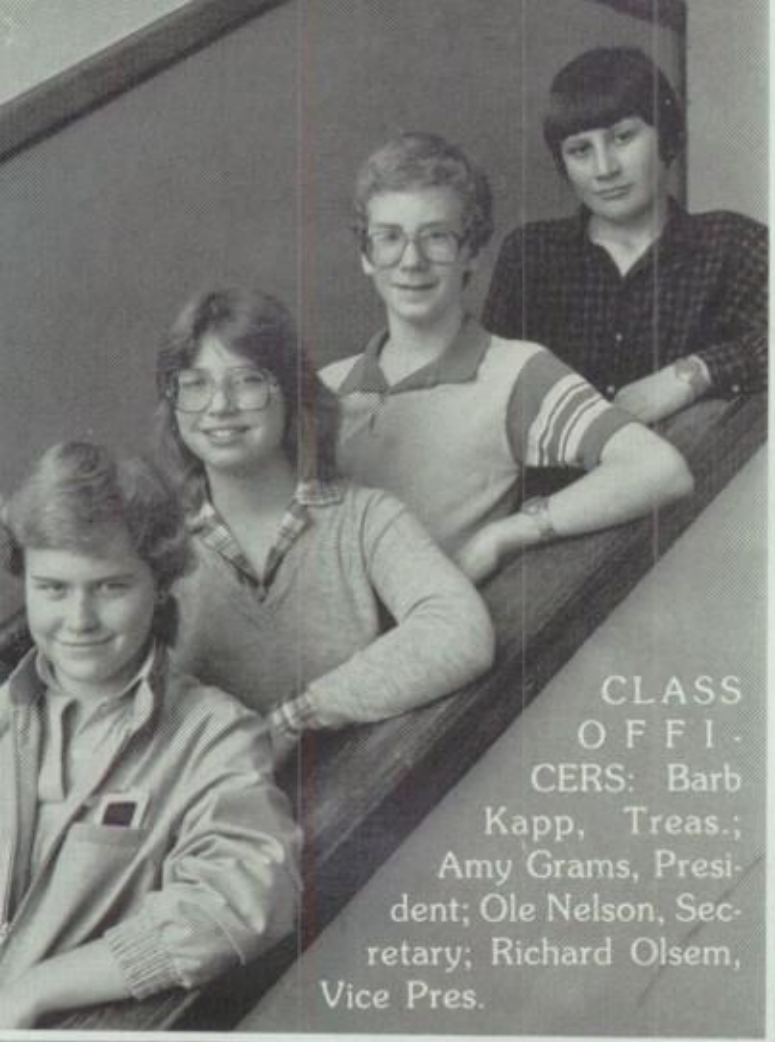
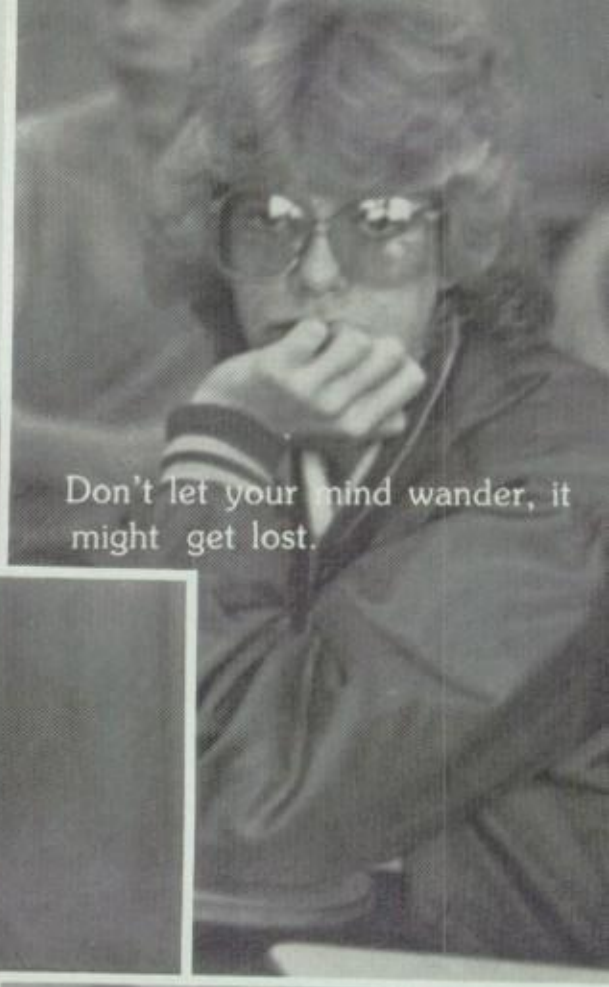
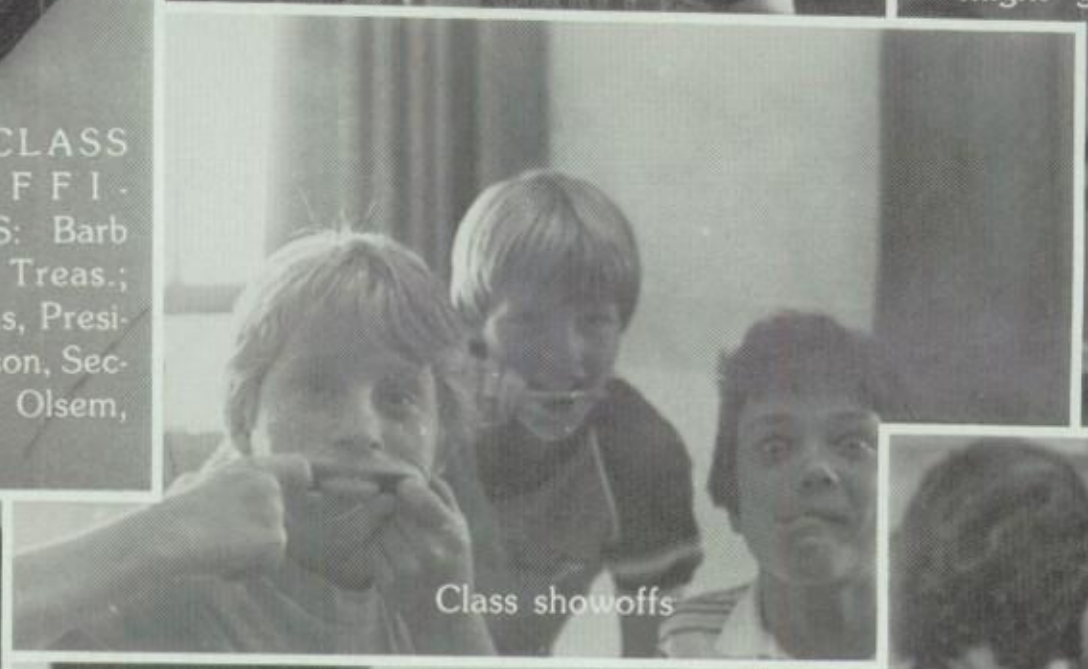


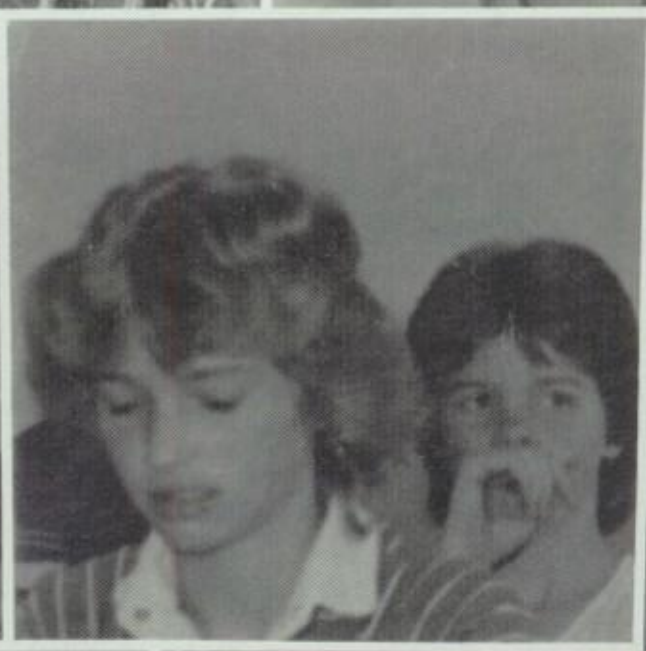
CLASS OFFICERS: Barb Kapp, Treas.; Amy Grams, President; Ole Nelson, Secretary; Richard Olsem, Vice Pres.



Don't let your mind wander, it might get lost.

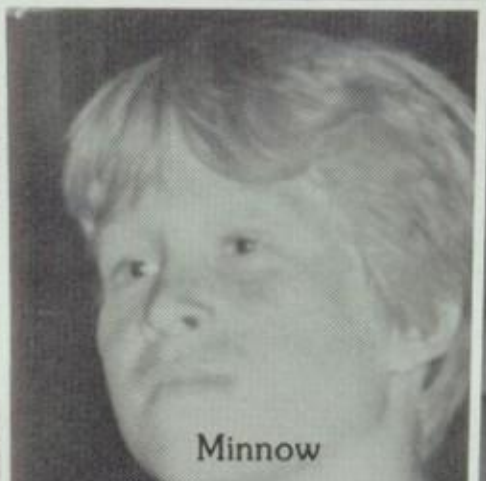


Class showoffs



Standing tall

Concentration?



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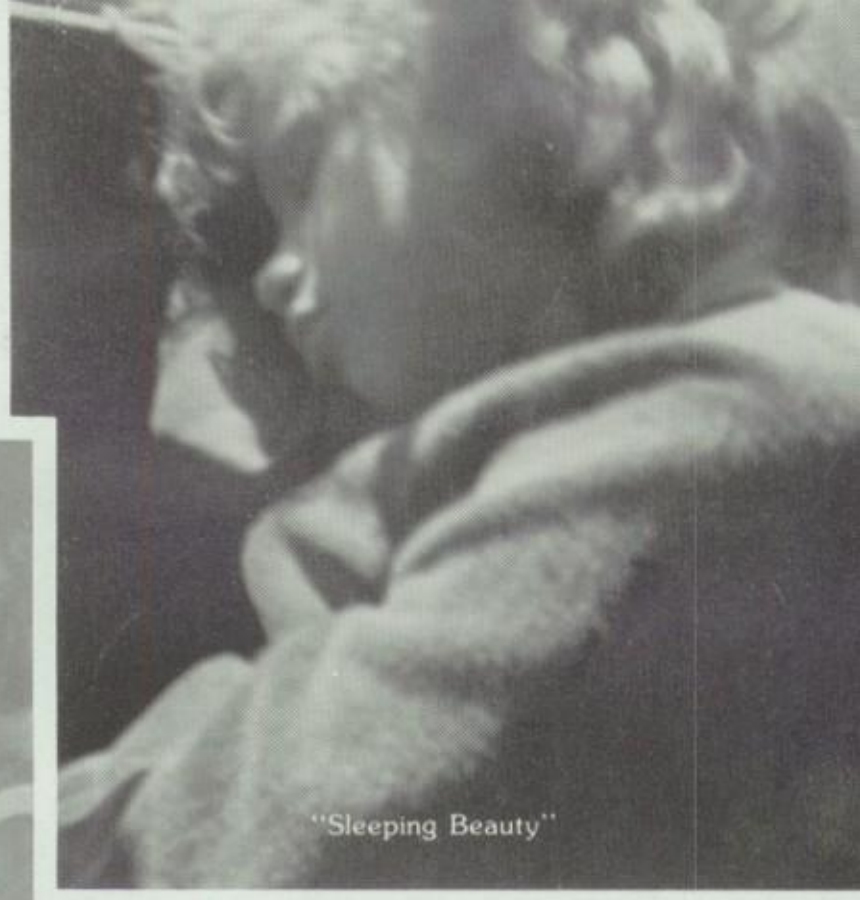
CLASS OF 1987

Row 1: Dennis Jans, Todd Severson. Row 2: Ryan Ware, Shannon Sack, Scott Caswell, Brian Klute, Chris Schlichte, Fred Hage, Mike White. Row 3: Linda DeBates, Bruce Byers, Daron Rupp, Mark Johnson. Row 4: Nancy Olson, Jackie Erickson, Angie Bultman, Linda Byers, Ricky Elzenga, Melynda Spielman, Melanie Jutting, Jan Howley. Row 5: Jason Busswitz, Steve Stresemann, Lee Lidtke, Keela Bakken, Mark Ennenga, Troy Ditsworth, Angie Knakmuhs, David Bloch, Jeff Steen, Paul Reynolds, Keith Kottke. Not pictured: Lonnie Ewy.

8th GRADE OFFICERS: Linda Byers, Secretary; Keela Bakken, Vice President; Jackie Erickson, Treasurer; Keith Kottke, President.



"Sleeping Beauty"

"Surprise! Surprise!

"How old did you say you are, Mel?"

"Push it Brian"

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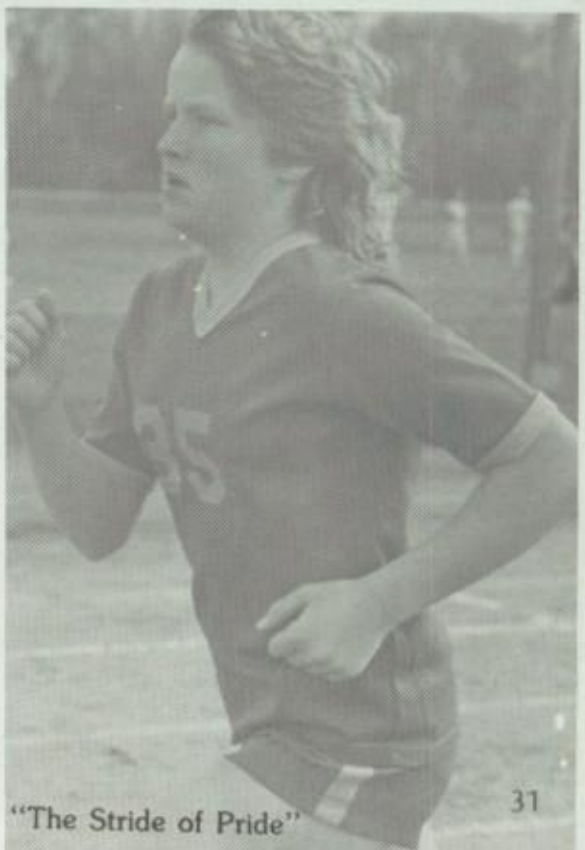


"The Stride of Pride"

CLASS OF 1986

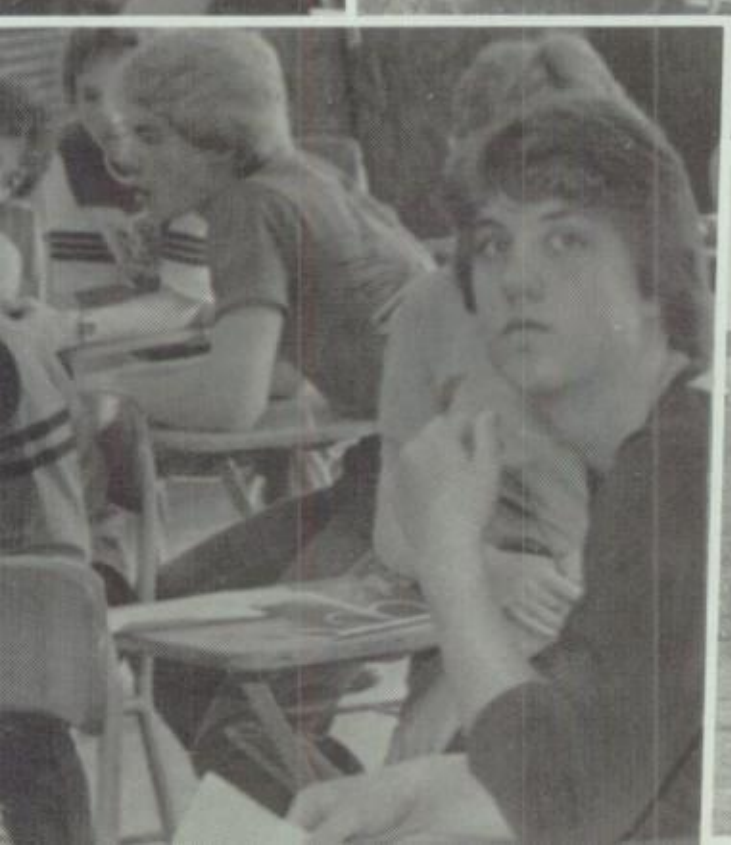
Bottom left to top right: Stacey Busswitz, Diane Clayton, Ruth Larson, Sara Kessel, Jeanne Jans, Shelly Byers, Eric Benson, Nancy Dold, Lynn Dibble, Jay Christians, Teresa Clausen, Marie Amundson, Lezlie Shaw, Elizabeth Nelsen, Brenda Olson, Mark Kjorness, Paula Kronback, Jill Takle, Corey Bunting, Charmaine Rachuy, David Weiske, Ryan Rupp, Scott Mischke, Jim Kvilhaug, David Nelsen, Danny Weiske, Dale Mischke, Lori Kuehl, Jim Marshall, Loren Noomen, Jason Erickson, Jim Heath, Linda Chapman, Kevin Harder, Mike Vaupel, Heather Anderson, Bret Lindaman.

FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS: Jason Erickson, Vice President; David Nelsen, Treasurer; Jim Marshall, President; Dale Mischke, Secretary.

Gee Mr. Moon, your class is sure exciting!

Cool Dude!

Kjorness scores again!



Wake up Brenda!

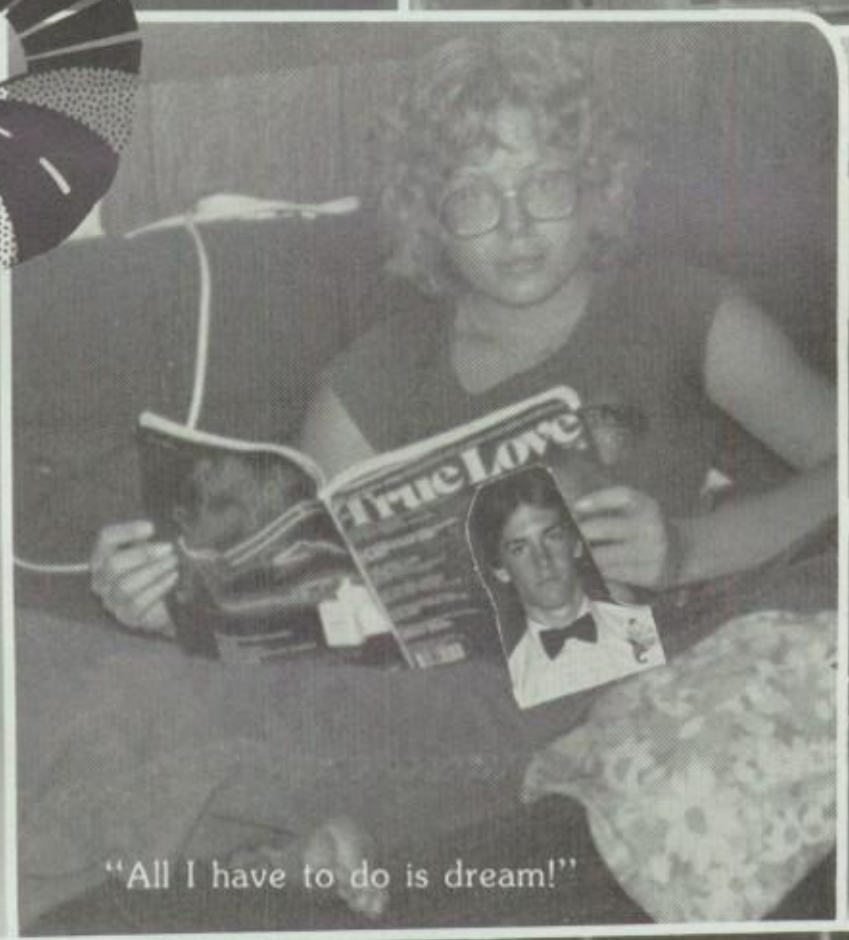
First row: Chad Cooley, Scott Elzenga, Todd Timgren, Jon Buss, Lee Paplow. Second row: Cindy Singer, Nancy Burns, Hilja Rachuy, Kim Spielman, Pam Sletten, Neesa Lien. Third row: Mary Dold, Marilyn Schmitt, Kay Engler, Lori Olson, Cheryl Ross, Deena Carey, Tammy Sievers, Jodi Ditsworth. Fourth row: Lee Busswitz, LaNae Busswitz, Susan Schultz, Laurie DeBates, Kelly Anderson, Rhonda Vosberg, Tammy Tighe, Naomi Lindstrom, Becky Lidtke, Sandy Yochem, Doug Wahl, Perry Bunting, Paul Parker, John Hanson, Doug Gertner, John Kottke. Fifth row: Christie Christensen, Beth Ennenga, Mary Vortherms, Janet Jenson, Sara Amundson, Shelly Lintner, Alison Cohrs, Cory Uhlenhopp, Bob Madson, Bruce Pederson, Jim Jorgenson, Eric Grams, Greg Brandt, Dorien Kvilhaug, Tylan Remmers. Not pictured: Ricky Buchholz.

CLASS OF 1985

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: Dorien Kvilhaug, President; Alison Cohrs, Vice President; Hilja Rachuy, Secretary; Kelly Anderson, Treasurer.

We're on our way!

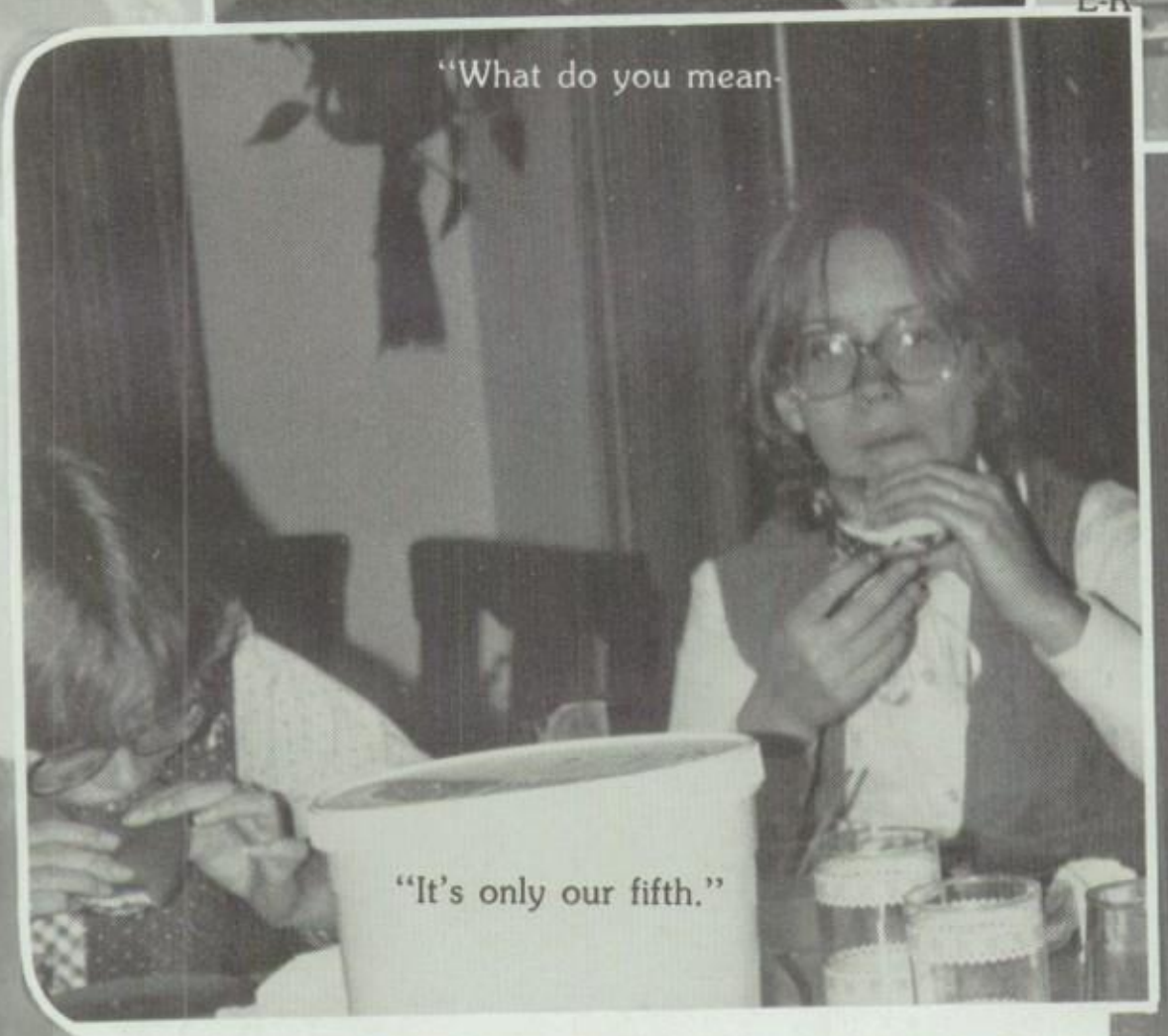
Hot Stuff



"All I have to do is dream!"

S-A-L-L-Y L-O-V-E-S S-K-I-P-P-E-R

"H-e-l-p-p-p-p!"



"What do you mean-

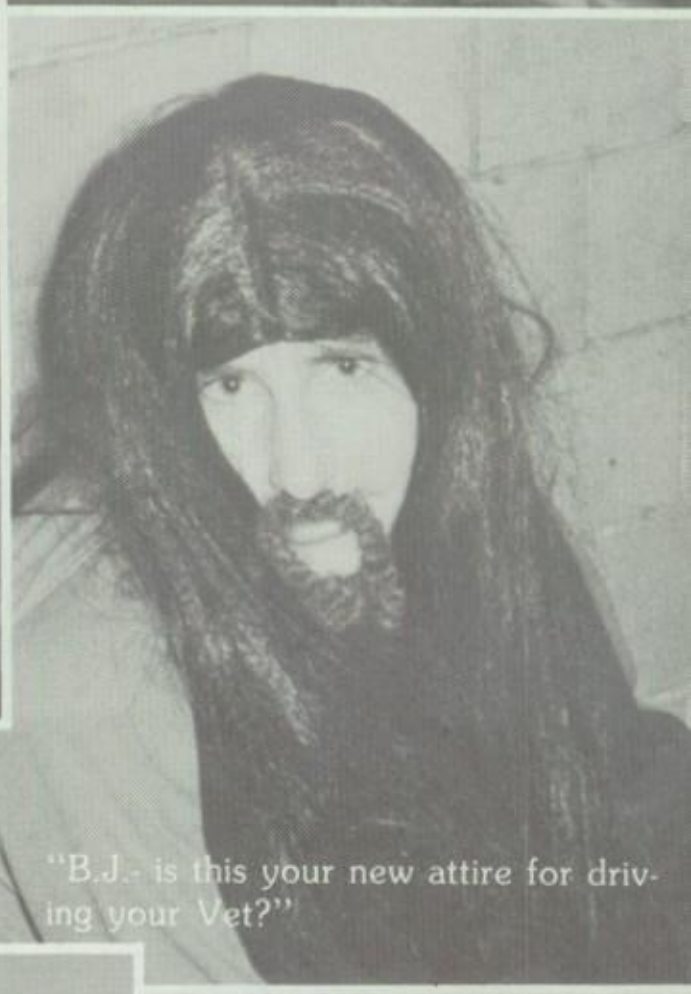
"It's only our fifth."

"fer sher"

SOPHOMORES

CLASS OF 1984

Front row: Lisa Cohrs, Shari Singer, Lynn Byers. Second row: Brian Phipps, Petra Vos, Curt Horkey. Third row: Dirk Dittersdorf, Tim Spielman, Ancil Reynolds, Deb Kessel, Jacque Vos. Fourth row: Peter Wahl, Nathan Pederson, B.J. Madson, Dean Anderson, Julie Lidtke. Fifth row: Tom Lindstrom, Denise Shaw, Gina Christians, Kathy Schultz, Shannon Cohrs. Sixth row: Teresa Sorenson, Marnee Ennenga, Wayne Kelm, Garth Gertner. Pole: Connie Sletten, Robin Cohrs, Becky Olson, Lee Mischke, Paul Vosberg. Not pictured: Randy Pederson, Ranae Wahl, Randy Wahl, Kim Miekle.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: (Clockwise from left) B.J. Madson, Treasurer; Denise Shaw, Secretary; Dean Anderson, President; Lee Mischke, Vice President.

"B.J. - is this your new attire for driving your Vet?"

See Kathy-wearing a dress isn't really so bad . . ."

"It's been a hard day's night!"

"Yeah, you better watch yourself pal!"

en-thu-zee-azum!

"You're sure about this now?"

The Journey.

WILDCATS

ORGANIZATIONS

STUDENT COUNCIL

Top Row: 12th, Nancy Morton, President; 12th, Lynn Howley; 11th, Becky Olson, Secretary; 11th, Connie Sletten; 10th, Tammy Tighe; 9th, Charmaine Rachuy. Second Row: 11th, Gina Christians; 8th, Mark Johnson. First Row: 7th, Kari Gertner; 10th, Bruce Pederson. Not Pictured: Jim Lamb.

CAMERA CLUB

Left to Right: Joey Merchant, Mike White, Mike Cross, Paul Hanson, Johnathon Amundson, Gordon Wolf, Advisor; Mark Johnson, Charlene Rachuy.

Front row; Susan Chapman, Pres.; Wayne Kelm, Vice Pres.; Paul Vosberg, Sec.; Tim Spielman, Treas.; Nathan Pederson, Reporter; Tom Lindstrom, Sentinel. Middle row: Bruce Pederson, Lee Paplow, Greg Brandt, Corey Bunting, Larry Sanford, Advisor. Back row; Jay Christians, Stacey Busswitz, Perry Bunting, Shannon Cohrs, Jim Heath, Bret Lindaman.

Front Row: Linda Clayton, Susan Schultz, LaNae Busswitz, Cheryl Ross, Havinne Anderson, Amy Grams, Mrs. Wiggins, Advisor. 2nd Row: Jodi Ditsworth, Sandy Yochem, Cheryl Sondergaard, Michelle Wipperman, Paulette Peterson, Cindy Singer, Kim Spielman, Pres. 3rd Row: Mary Vortherms, Becky Lidtke, V. Pres.; Naomi Lindstrom, Sec.; Deena Carey, Tammy Sievers, Lori Olson, Jackie Klasse.

CLUB: Tim Spielman, Greg Brandt, High Salesman; Sue
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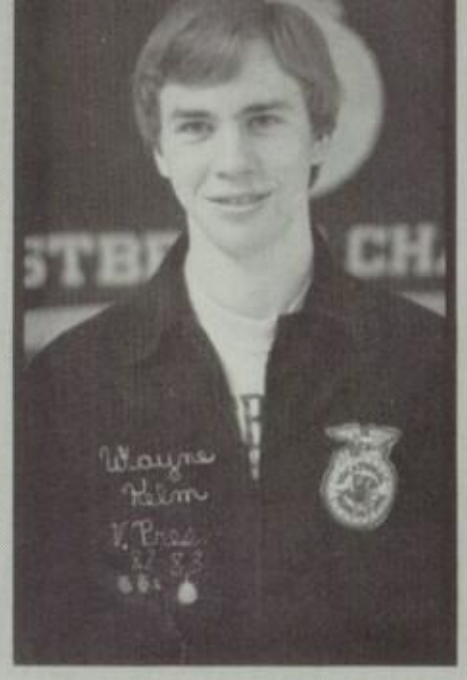
FFA SWEETHEART: Becky Olson; FHA DREAMBOAT: Shannon Cohrs.



DISTRICT 11 & REGION 8 FISH & WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT PROFICIENCY WINNER: Wayne Kelm.

APTER FARMERS: Lee Paplow, Perry Bunting, Shannon
rs, Bruce Pederson, Greg Brandt.

CHAPTER STAR FARMER, DEKALB ACHIEVEMENT AWARD (Outstanding Senior), STATE FARMER DEGREE: Sue Chapman.

NHANDS: Row 1: Jay Christians, Bret Linda-
Star Greenhand; Jim Heath. Row 2: Stacey Buss-
Corey Bunting.

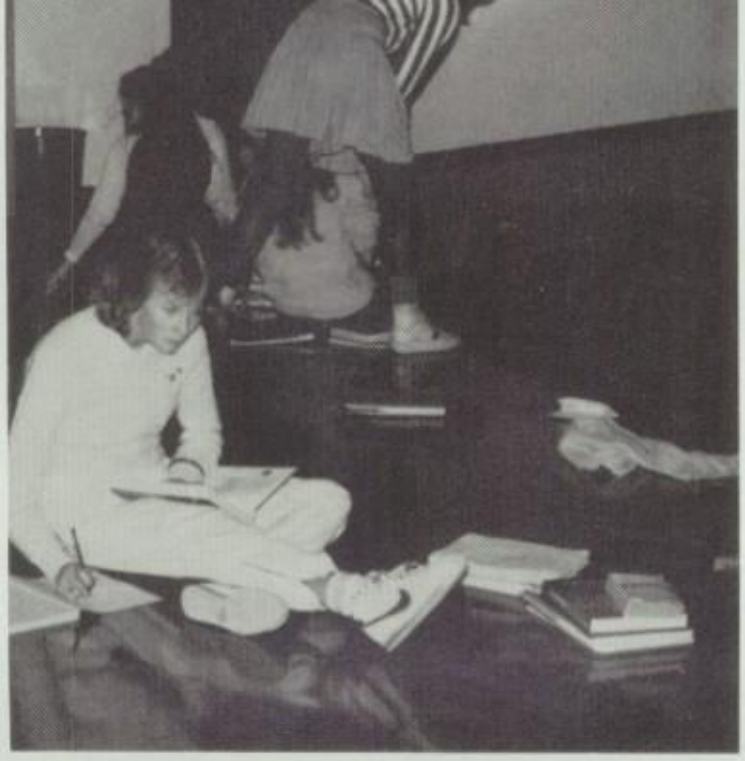
PROFICIENCY WINNERS: Row 1: Greg Brandt, Sheep Production; Sue Chapman, Dairy Production; Wayne Kelm, Fish & Wildlife Management, Crop Production. Row 2: Tom Lindstrom, Poultry Production; Paul Vosberg, Diversified Livestock Production.

NEWSPAPER STAFF

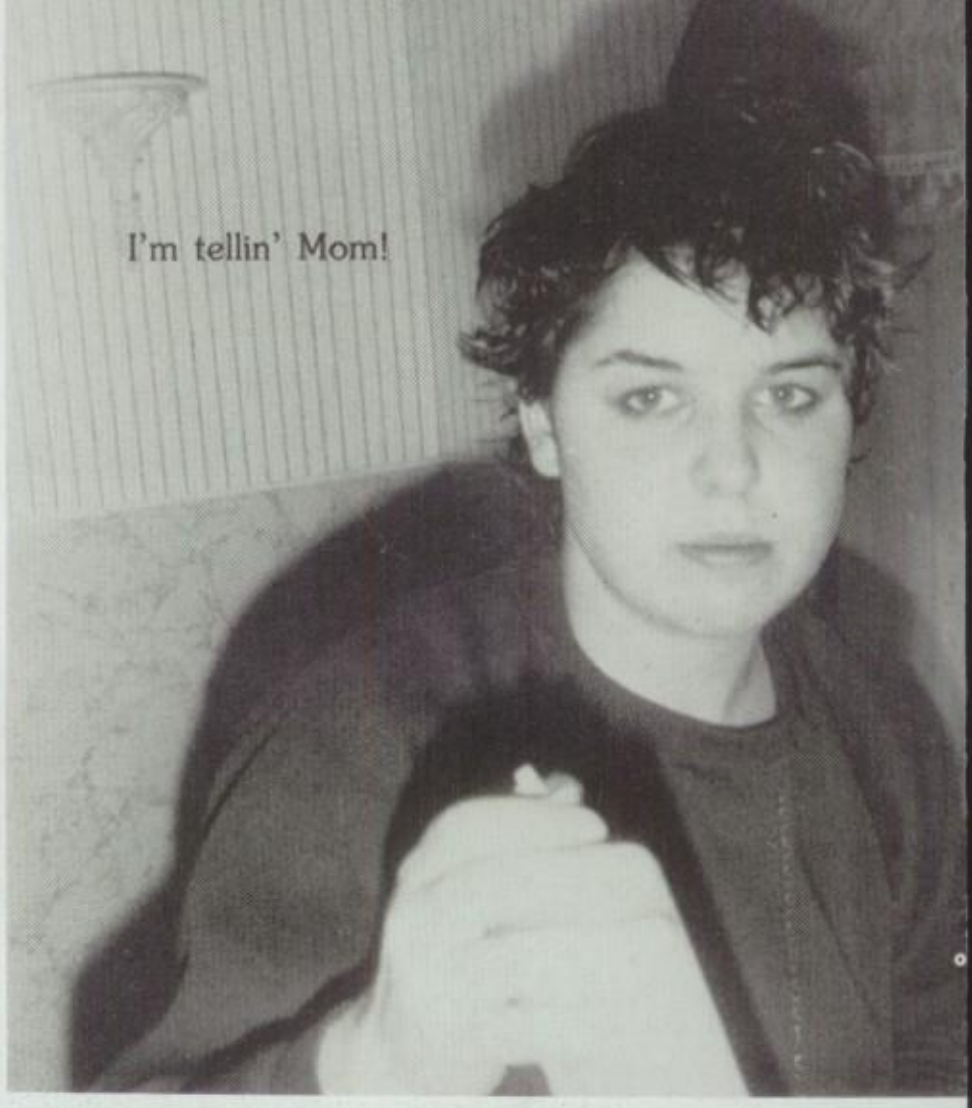
Seated: Joan Howley, Barbara Horkey, Michael Schultz, Paul Anderson, Karin Nelsen, Editor; Mrs. Timmerman, Advisor; Charlene Rachuy, Editor; Elizabeth Olsem, Gina Christians. Standing: Shelly Lintner, Michael Norstegard, Deena Carey, Debbie Kessel, Steve Elzenga, Todd Meier, Robert Shaw, Curtis Mischke, Jann Dibble, Johnathon Amundson, Marnee Ennenga, David Fowler, Vicky Clausen, Mike White, Todd Lindstrom.

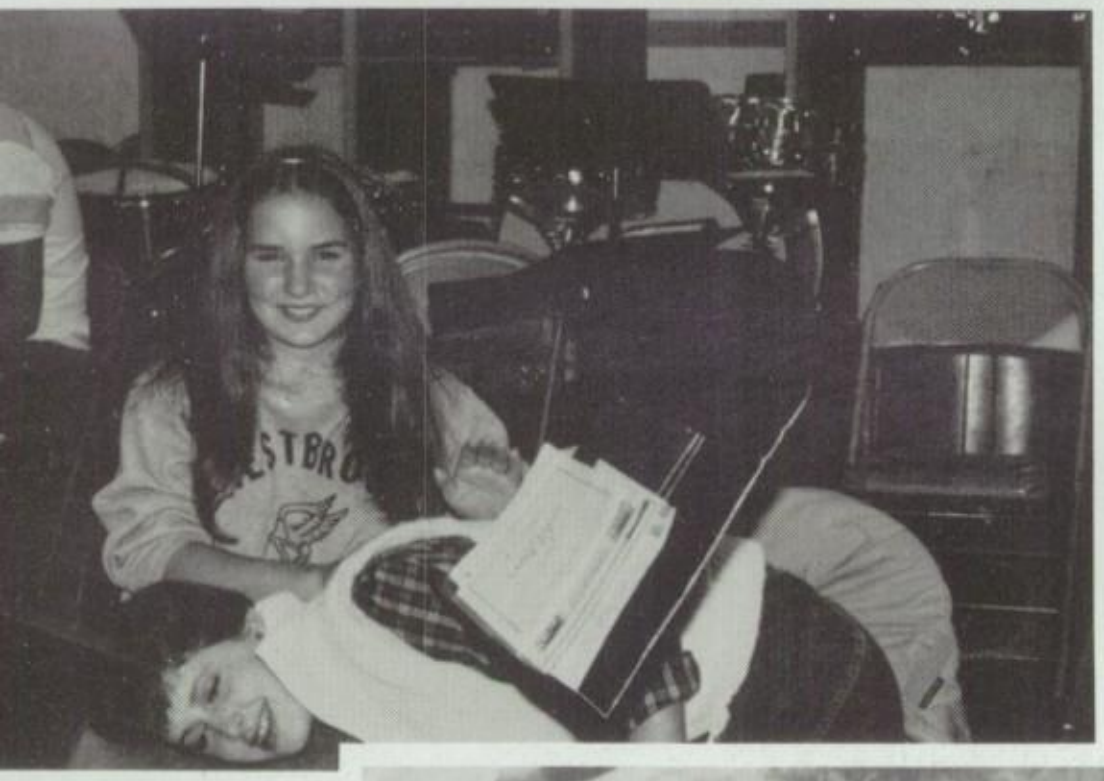
OFFICE CADETS

Row 1: Tim Spielman, Eric Grams. Row 2: Ancil Reynolds, Mary Kottke, Kerri Jans, Elizabeth Olsem, Marnee Ennenga, Dawn Bass, Secretary. Row 3: Dwayne Green, Kevin Kuehl, John Vortherms, Dean Anderson, Bob Shaw, Mike Cross.



I'm tellin' Mom!





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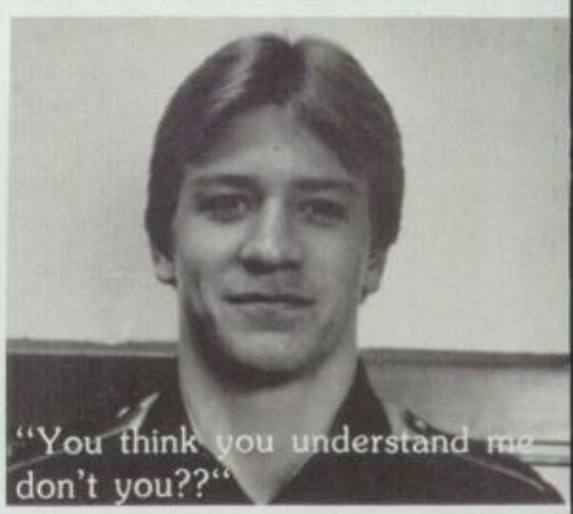
"You think you understand me don't you??"

The life of a star!

The Journey.

GION WRESTLERS: Kurt Villa, Lowell
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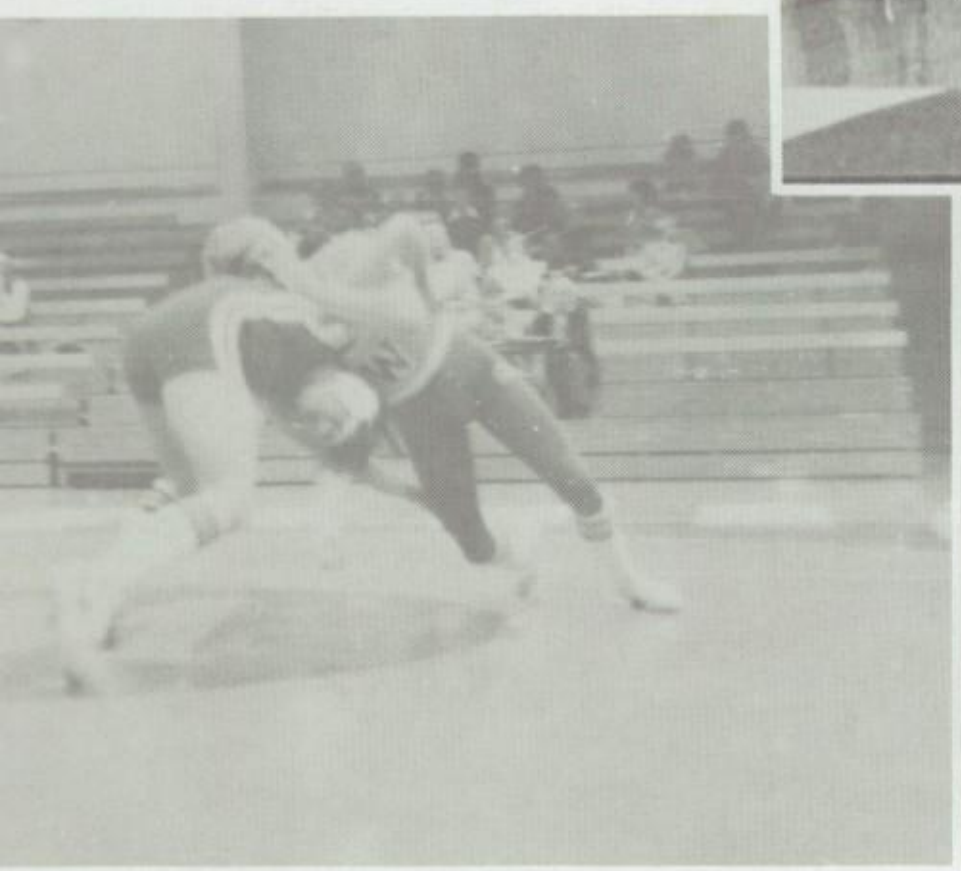
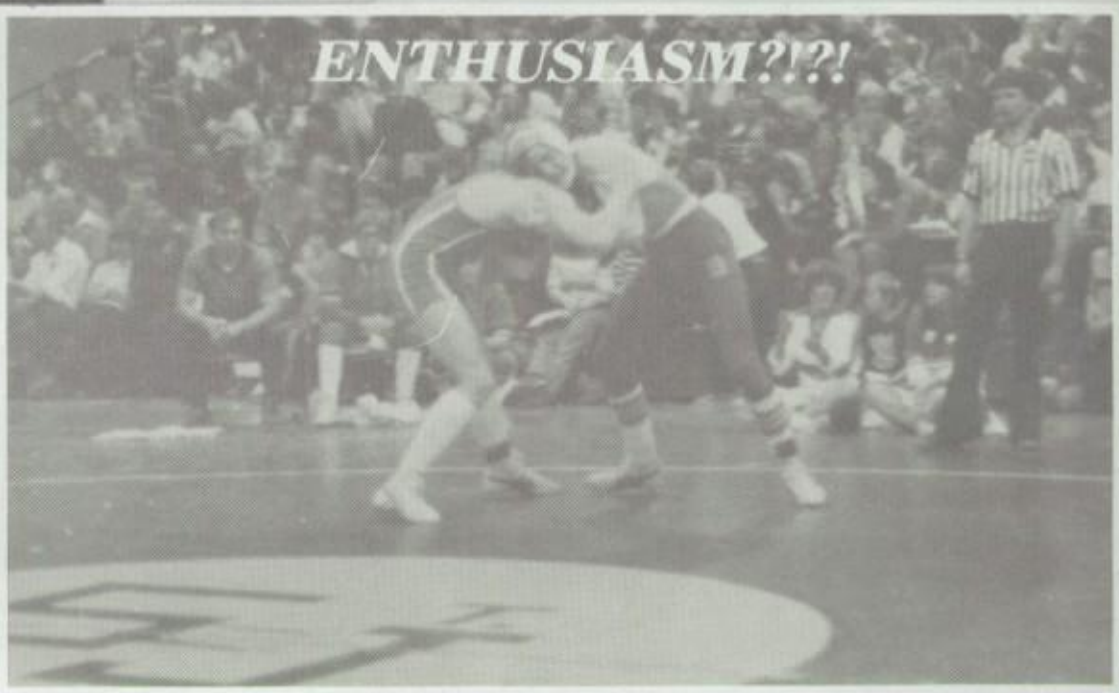
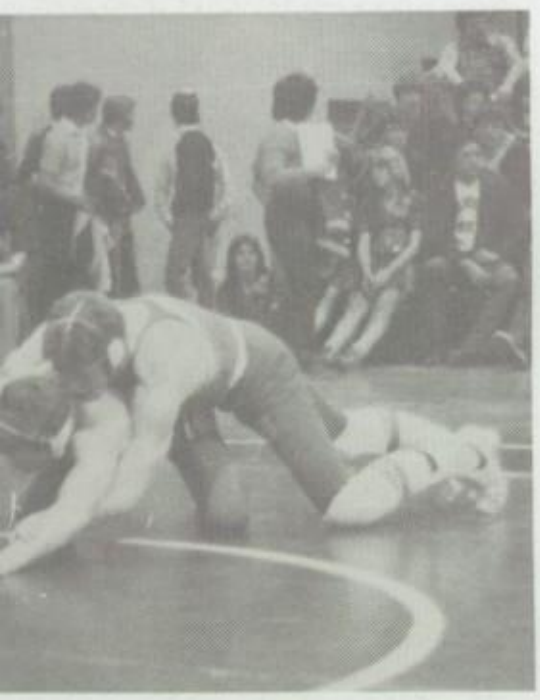
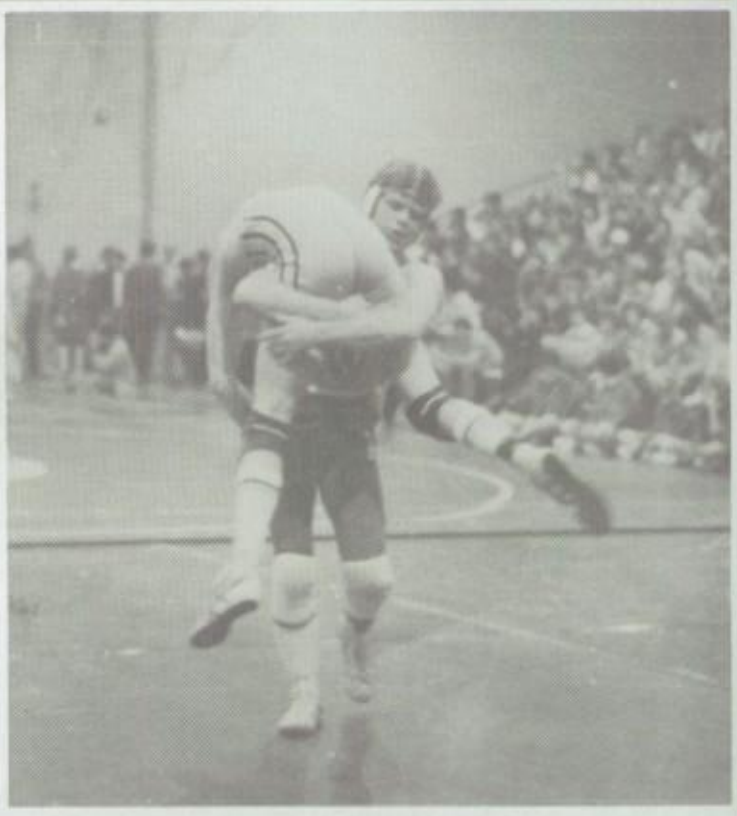




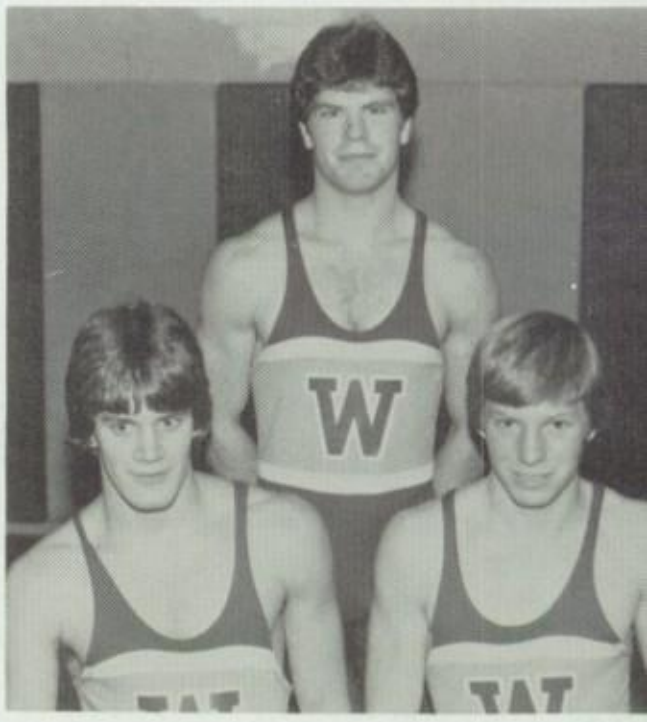




WILDCAT WRESTLING

Front row: Adam Gorg, Manager; Johnathon Amundson, Loren Klasse, Manager. Second row: Mike White, Lee Lidtke, Greg Brandt, Paul Hanson, John Hanson. Third row: David Bloch, Garth Gertner, Kurt Villa, Randy Pederson, Lee Paplow, Dirk Dittersdorf. Fourth row: Ann Knutson, Stat.; Bill White, Coach; Scott Caswell, Lowell Noomen, Erik Benson, Mark Caswell, Loren Noomen, Lori Soll, Stat.

CHEERLEADERS: L to R Christie Christensen, Marilyn Schmitt, Ranae Wahl, Mary Dold, Ruth Larson



WRESTLING CAPTAINS: L to R Mark Caswell, Kurt Villa, Lowell Noomen

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49 Lakefield	OT 52
35 Fulda	55
33 Walnut Grove	44
49 Brewster	OT 50
51 SV-RL	43
25 S-J	67
39 Comfrey	47
36 B-O	47
41 Jackson	56
28 Lamberton	47
34 MN Valley Luth.	49
31 Sanborn	44
39 HL-O	OT 37
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54 Comfrey	53
District 7	
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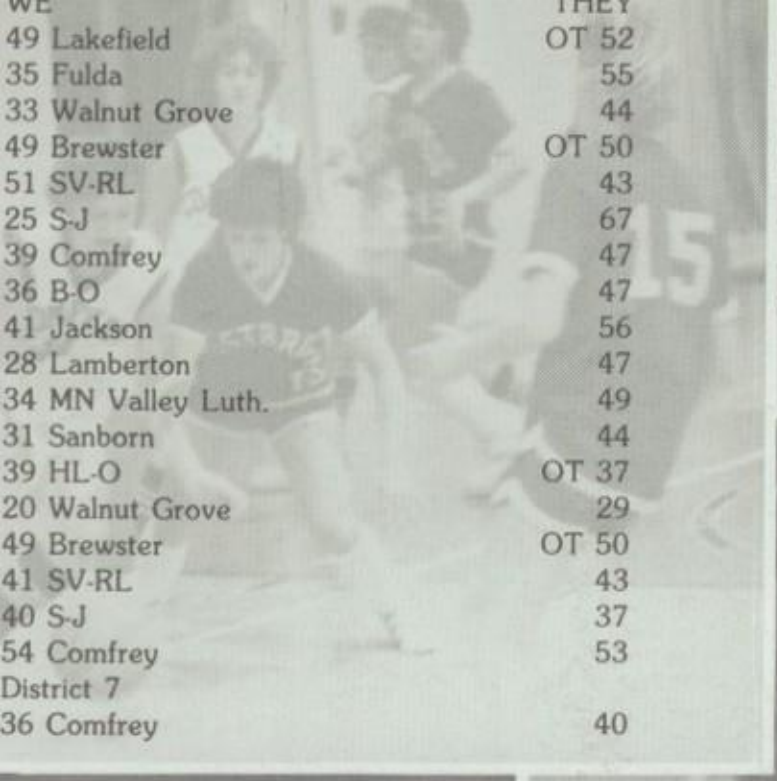

VARSITY

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GIRLS BB

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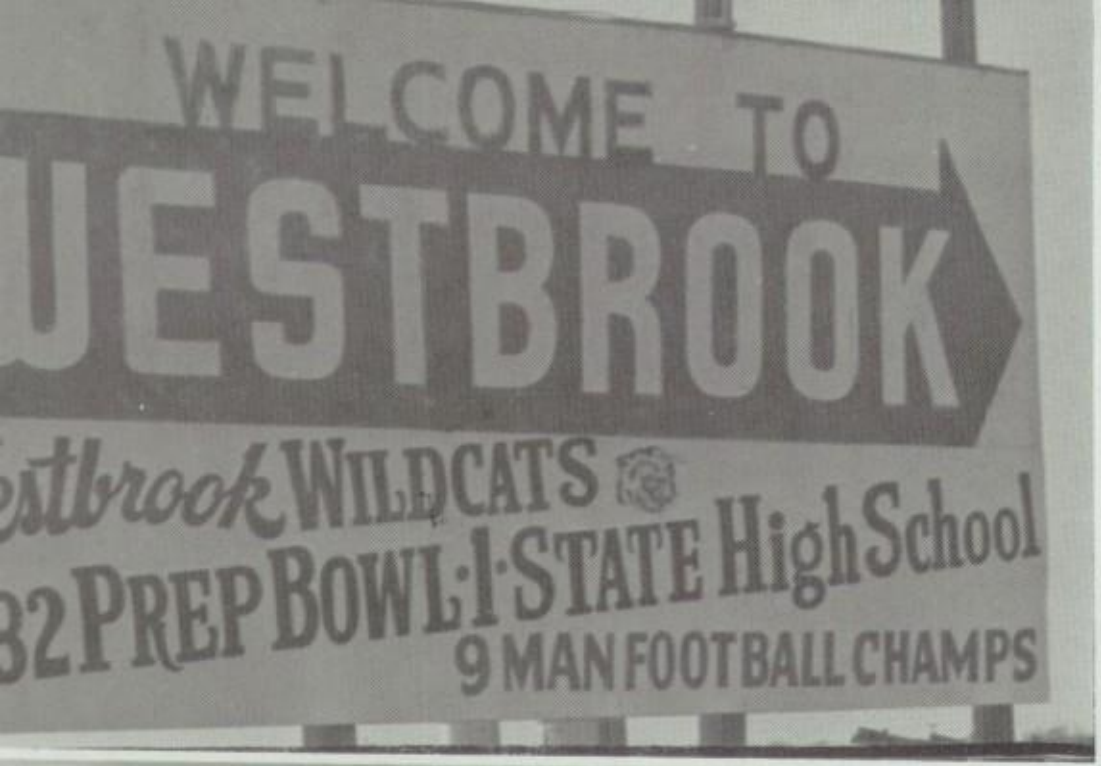
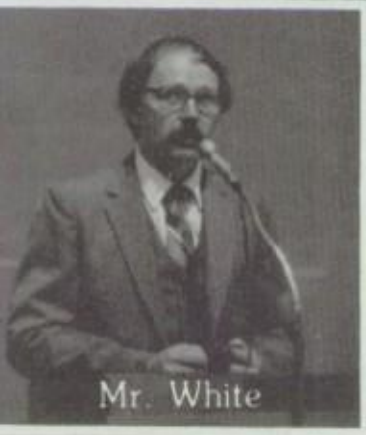
CAPTAIN, Jann Dibble

B SQUAD

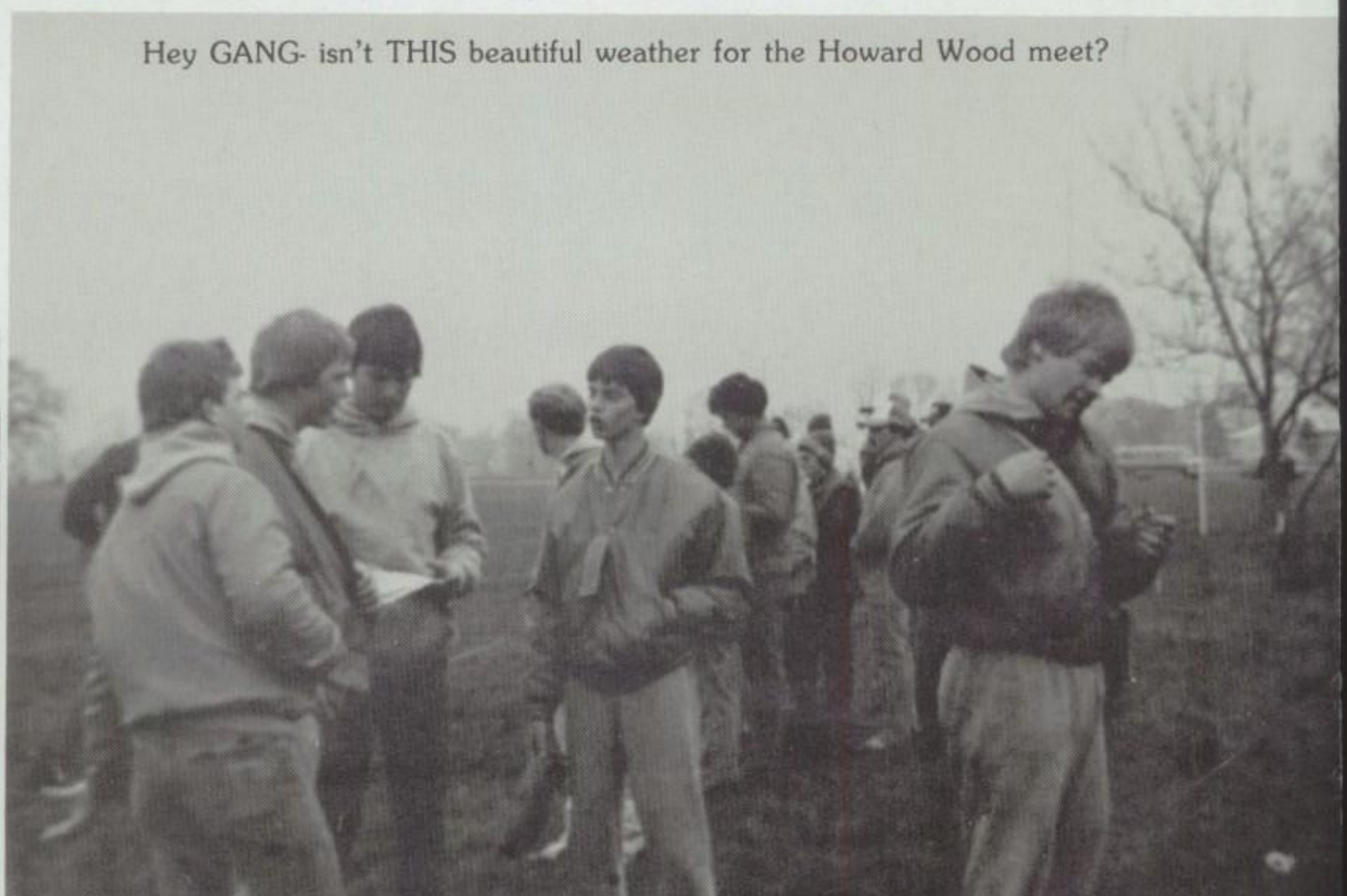


Mike Weiske - THE FORM OF A CHAMPION!



Mr. White

P.J. Flying High



Hey GANG- isn't THIS beautiful weather for the Howard Wood meet?

WE		
59	Walnut Grove	47
59	Jackson	53
61	HL-O	49
40	Lakefield	39
61	Sanborn	54
75	Lamberton	51
61	Comfrey	56
42	S-J	43
45	SV-RL	50
54	Brewster	42
70	Walnut Grove	51
66	HL-O	55
52	S-J	43
58	Sanborn	42
78	Lamberton	55
68	B-O	35
76	B-O	38
84	Comfrey	47
District 7		
72	Comfrey	64
51	HL-O	37
District Finals		
44	Windom	52

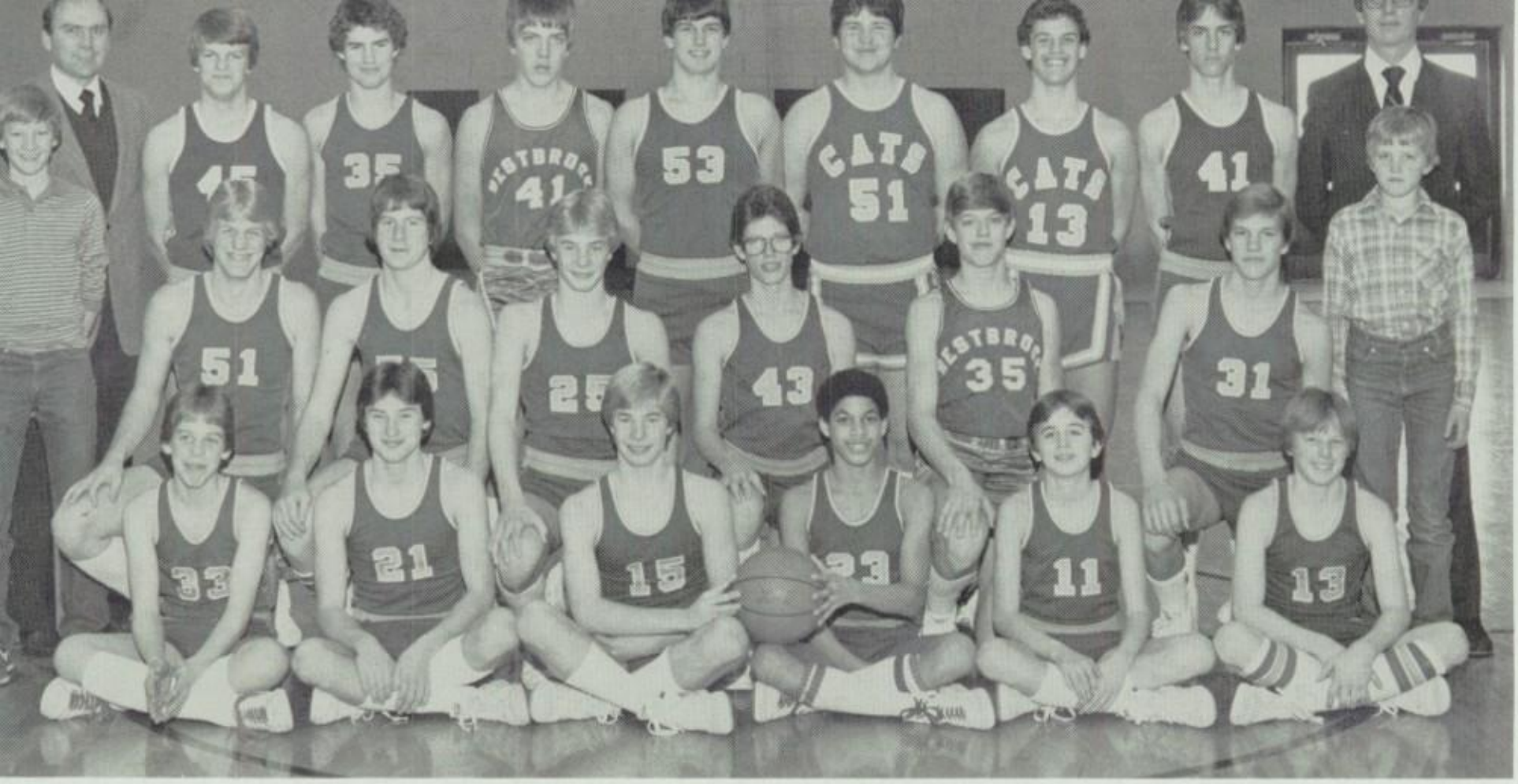
DISTRICT 7
RUNNER-UP

Front row: Becky Olson, Joan Howley, Lynn Howley, Karin Nelsen, Nancy Morton. Second row: Eric Nelsen, Brian Phipps, Cory Uhlenhopp, Laurie DeBates, Stat.; Dorien Kvilhaug, Stat.; Mike Cross, Manager; Debbie Kessel, Stat.; Robin Cohrs, Stat.; Tim Spielman, Ancil Reynolds, John Vortherms. Third row: Gary DeBates, Asst. Coach; Paul Rongstad, Paul Anderson, Steve Elzenga, Mike Weiske, David Schmidt, Curt Mischke, Gregg Bunting, Kevin Kuehl, Steve Kjorness, Coach.

rsity Basketball Cheerleaders: Karin Nelsen, n Howley, Nancy Morton, Joan Howley, cky Olson

B Squad Basketball Cheerleaders: Teresa Clausen, Jan Howley, Linda Clayton, Tami Sievers, Lezlie Shaw

B SQUAD BOYS



Front Row: David Nelsen, Jim Marshall, David Weiske, Jim Kvilhaug, Mark Kjorness, Ryan Rupp. 2nd Row: Bruce Pederson, manager; Lee Fowler, Todd Timgren, Danny Weiske, Jim Jorgenson, Jim Heath, Dale Mischke, Noah Anderson, manager. 3rd Row: Gary DeBates, coach; Jason Erickson, Scott Elzenga, Mike Vaupel, Bret Lindaman, Bob Madson, Cory Uhlenhopp, Perry Bunting, Steve Kjorness, coach.

8TH GRADE BOYS

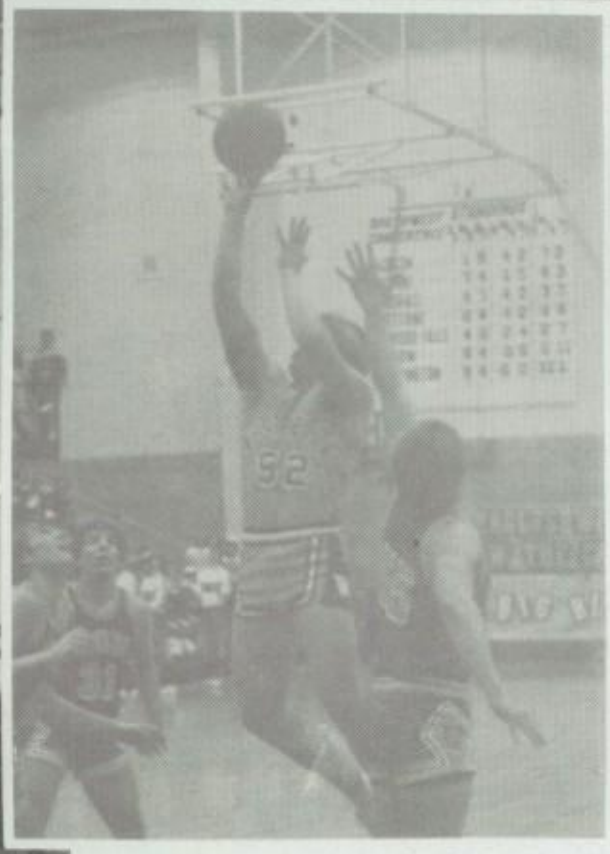
Front Row: Bruce Byers, Troy Ditsworth, Jeff DeBates, manager; Lonnie Ewy, Mark Ennenga. 2nd Row: Daron Rupp, Fred Hage, Keith Kottke, Ricky Elzenga, Jeff Steen, Paul Reynolds. 3rd Row: Jim Soll, coach; Shannon Sack, Dennis Jans, Brian Klute, Todd Severson, Chris Schlichte, Mark Johnson.

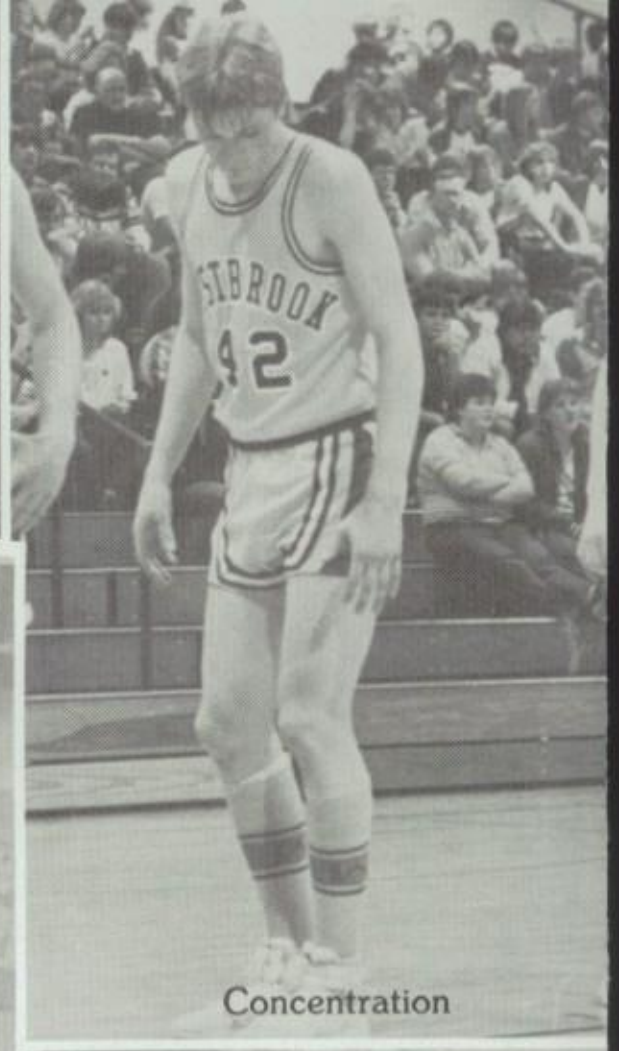
7TH GRADE BOYS

Front Row: Jeff DeBates, manager. 2nd Row: Christian Nelsen, Kirby Cohrs, Brad Berg, Sheldon Olson, John Chapman. 3rd Row: Chad Christensen, Curt Yochem, Ole Nelson, Jeff Weis, Maury Kuehl, Jim Soll, coach.

DISTRICT 7

Greg





Concentration

Curt

Steve

SUCCESS & HEARTBREAK

The 1982-83 Boys Basketball season was another Wildcat success story that began immediately following the football victories.

Throughout the season the Cats maintained a balanced attack, playing a very strong defense. In conference action the strong young men edged by a few close decisions to remain in the victory column, but then in a contest that was exciting to the final buzzer the Cats picked up their first loss; with a final score of 42-43 the Westbrook team lost out to arch rival S-J.

The experienced Cats did not let their loss become defeat as they bounced back in the weeks that followed to be rated number when the District matchups began. Receiving a bye in the first round of action, the Wildcats went on to defeat first Comfrey and then HL-O to earn the right to play Windom in the District final game. The Cats took an early lead and played a long hard game, but couldn't quite out do the Eagles. Thus, the Cats ended another exciting season as the District 7 Runner-up.

The Cats had a very successful season that ended in heartbreak for the team and their fans. Gone were the hopes of District 7 & Region 2A titles, and with it the hope of another trip to State. Cat fans will long remember the exciting moments of Boys Basketball generated by these young men and their coaches.

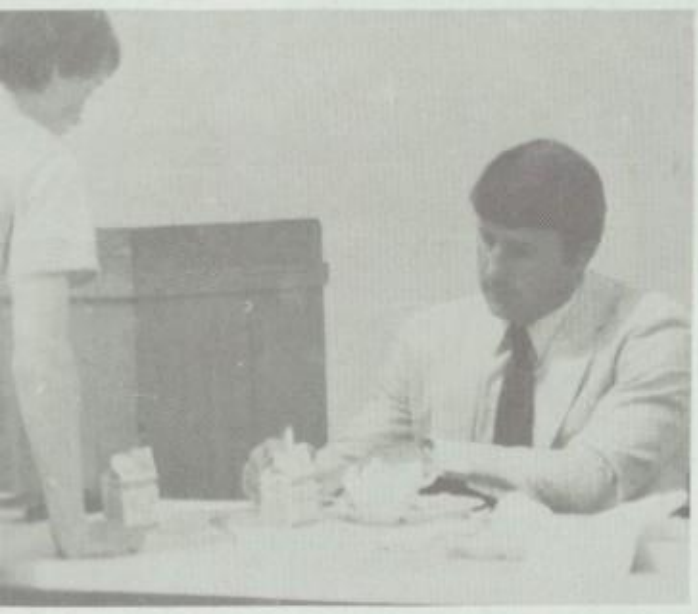
David

Mike

Hand to hand Combat!

BASKETBALL ACTION

1ST ANNUAL KIWANIS ATHLETIC BANQUET



Guest Speaker Vikings Player Jeff Siemen

Mike Weiske

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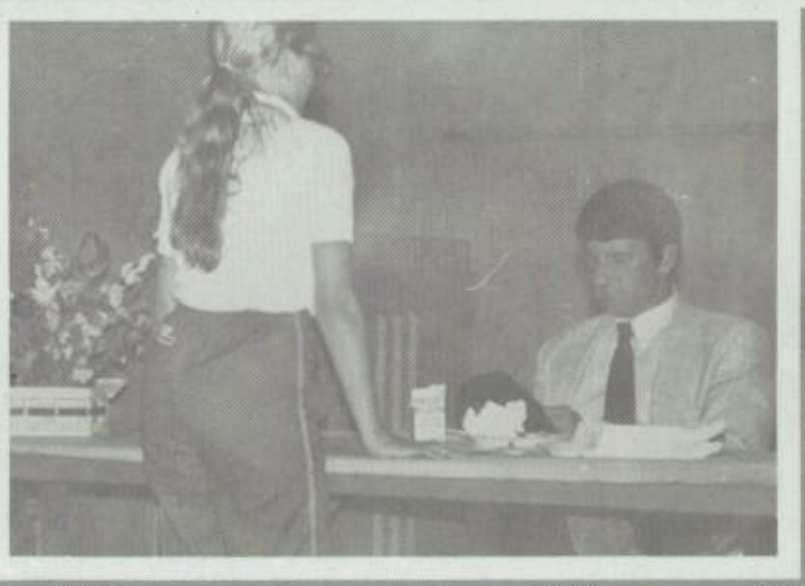

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CORNELL JENSON TRACK MEMORIAL AWARD: Mike Norstegard, Mike Schultz.

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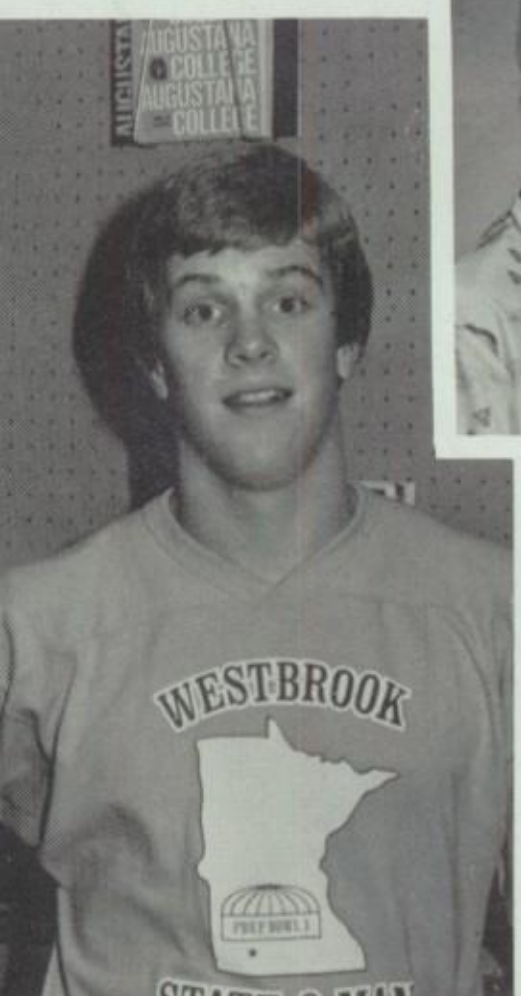

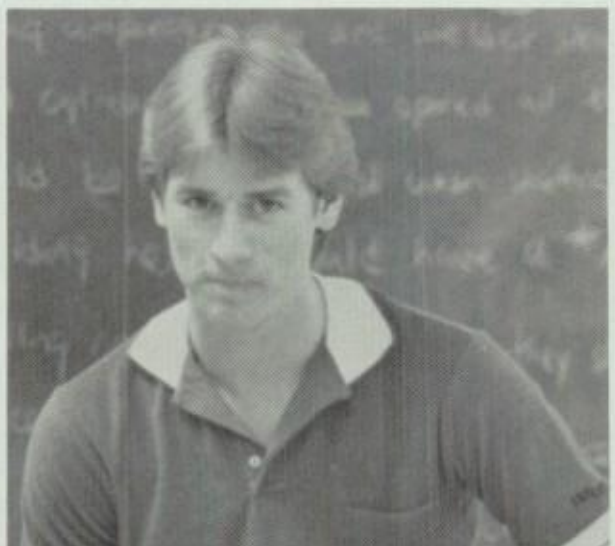

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The Journey.

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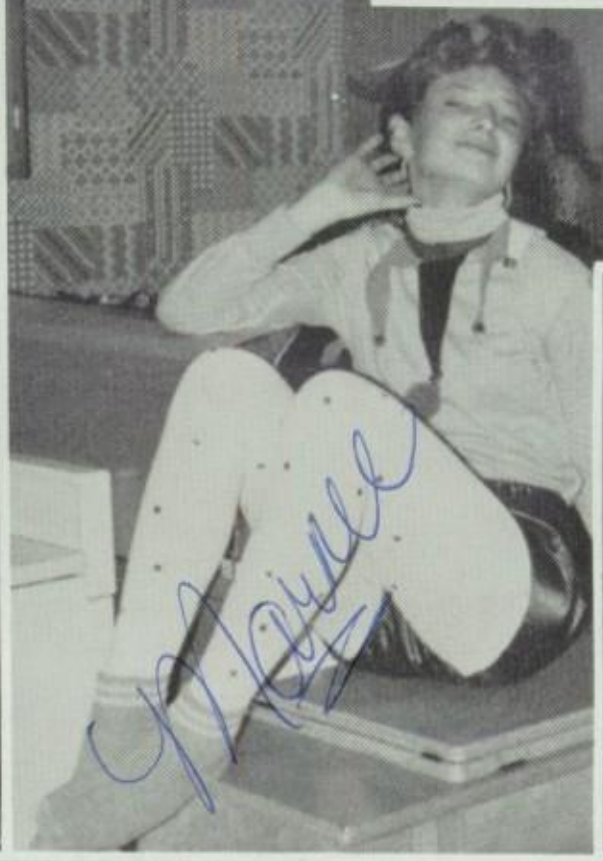
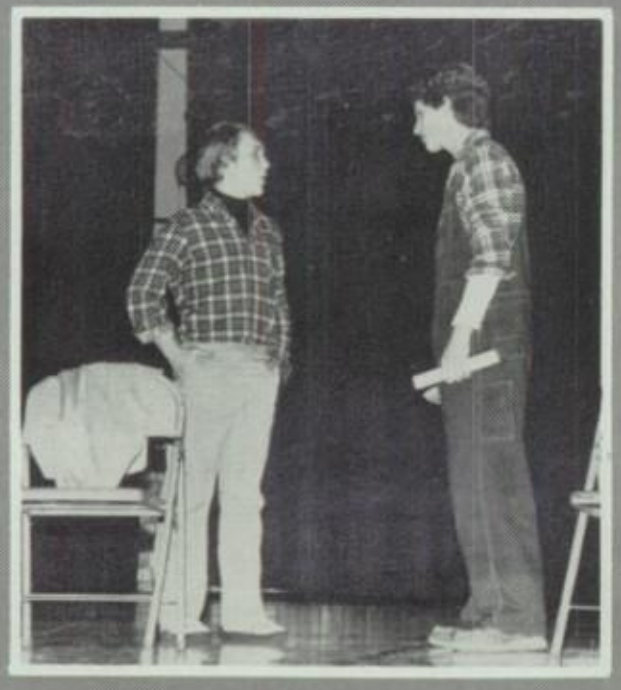
E 2nd PLACE SERI-
PROSE: Nancy Morton.

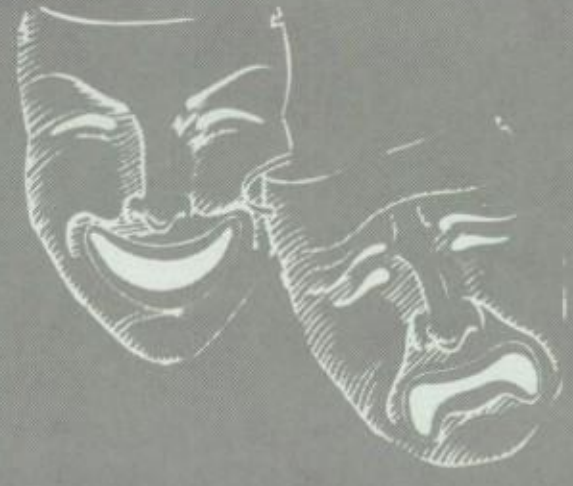
REGION 1st PLACE SERIOUS PROSE: Nancy Morton; REGION 1st PLACE CREATIVE EXPRESSION: Charlene Rachuy.

1982-83 1st PLACE STATE VOICE OF DEMOCRACY WINNER: Charlene Rachuy.

JR CLASS PLAY 'PRINCESS ASCENDING'







ONE ACT PLAY NO GRATER LOVE

CAST: Lee Mischke, Christie Christensen, Gina Christians, Nancy Morton, Char Rachuy, Student Director; Bob Shaw.

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Front row: Pam Sletten, Izumi Hirakawa, Gina Christians, Dirk Dittersdorf, Nancy Morton, Kari Bakken, Karin Nelsen. Second row: Jolene Dammann, Director; Christie Christensen, Nancy Burns, Rebecca Bloch, Connie Sletten, Eric Nelsen, Mike Schultz, John Kapp, Alison Cohrs, Dorien

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Kvilhaug, Sara Amundson, Becky Olson. Third row: Shelly Lintner, Kim Mielke, Deb Kessel, Judeen Busswitz, John Vortherms, Scott Elzenga, Mike Weiske, Paul Vosberg, Garth Gertner, Mary Kottke, Char Rachuy.

JAZZ BAND

GE BAND: Front row: Sue Chapman, Cohrs, Janet Jenson, Tom Lindstrom, n Cohrs. Middle row: Karin Nelsen, Ali- Cohrs, Bret Lindaman, David Nelsen, Kjorness, Garth Gertner, Eric Nelsen, Kapp. Back row: David Hydukovich, ctor; B.J. Madson, Paul Anderson, Char uy, Tim Spielman, Jon Buss.

DISTRICT & REGION-STATE STAR VOCAL DUET: Eric Nelsen, Nancy Morton.

CHORUS OFFICERS: Deb Kessel, Secretary; Becky Olson, Treasurer; Karin Nelsen, President; Kari Bakken, Vice President.

GION-STATE STAR VO- L SOLOS: Eric Nelsen, ristie Christensen, Nancy rton. Not pictured: Lori l.

BAND OFFICERS: Garth Gertner, Secretary-Treasurer; Rebecca Bloch, Vice President; Paul Anderson, President.

SWING CHOIR: Front row: Karin Nelsen, Alison Cohrs. Back row: Mike Schultz, Nancy Morton, Eric Nelsen, Becky Olson, Lori Soll, Garth Gertner, Christie Christensen, John Kapp.

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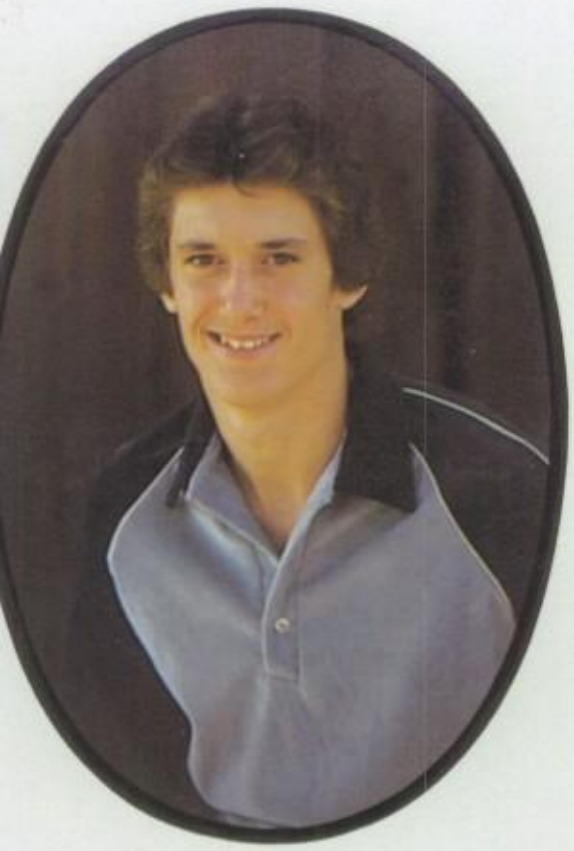
Kari Bakken

Rebecca Bloch

Karron Bloch



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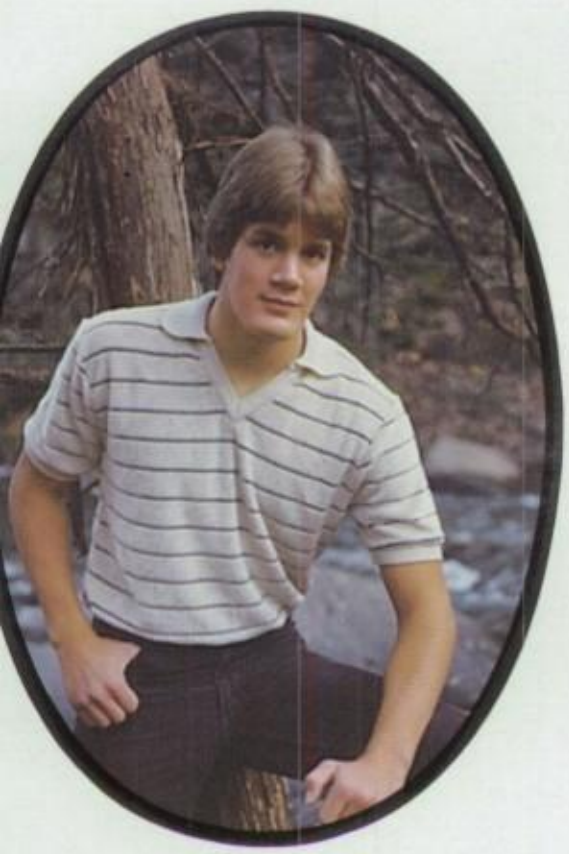

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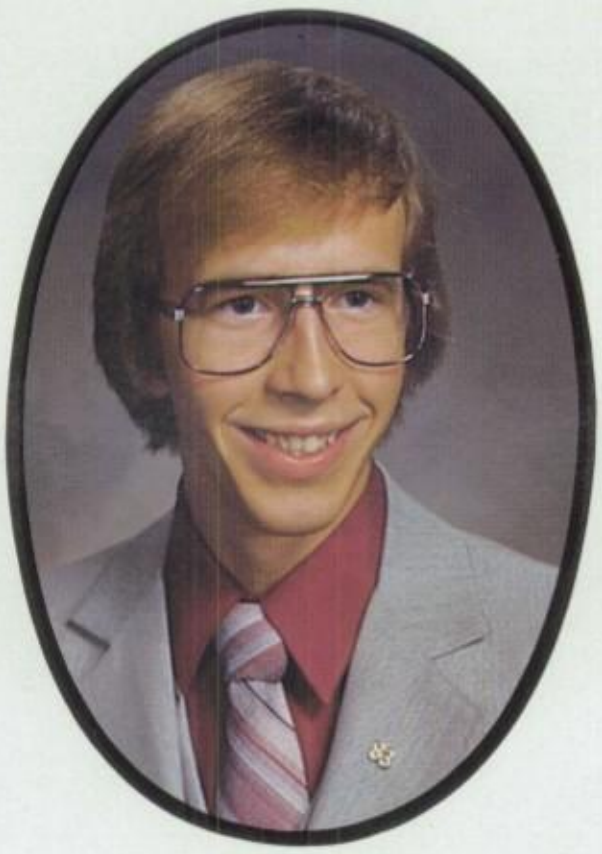

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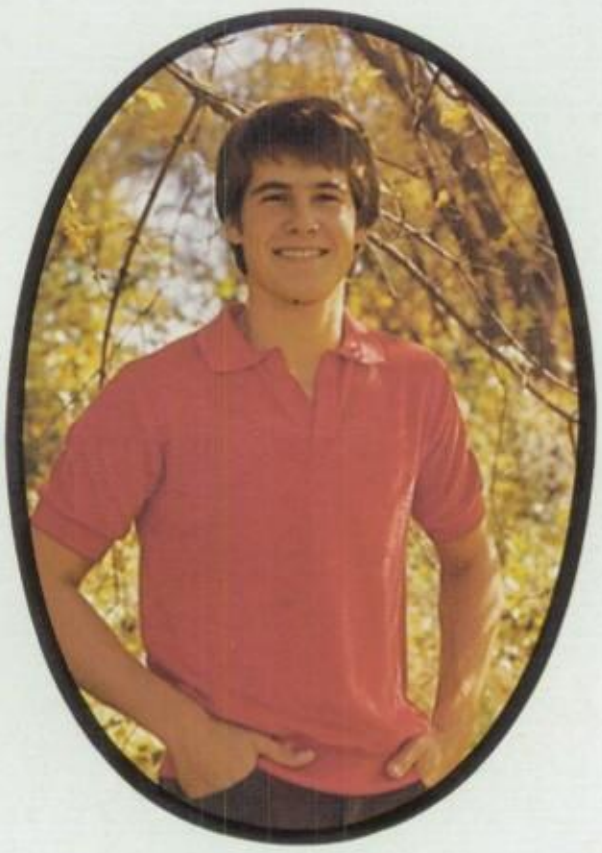

Steven Elzenga

Eeva Fomin

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"Oh-what a night!"

Gregg & Lynn?

Bill, is that really you?

They're Twins?

43 7th Grade BB Champs

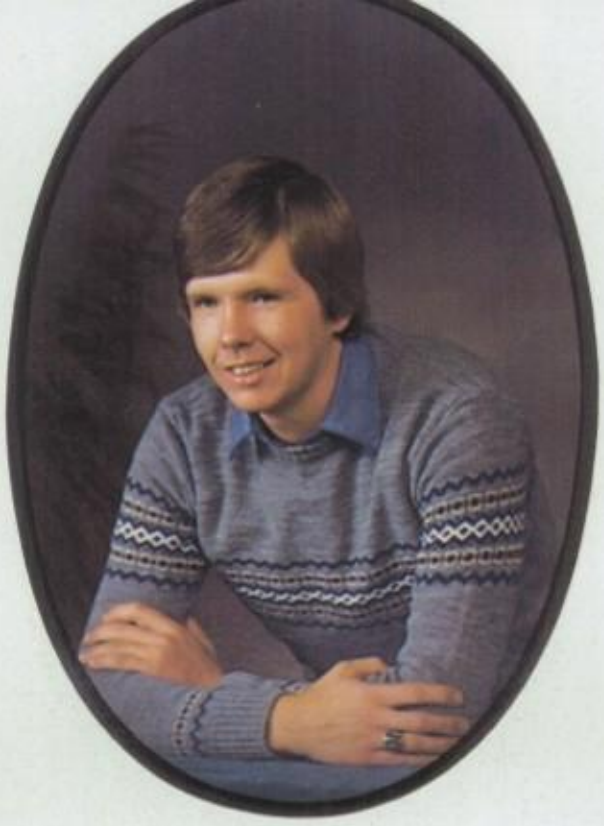
Paul, Joan, & Lynn

John & Kevin

Party at Nancy's!

Stinger & Ski

Jann's 1st Grade Birthday Party!



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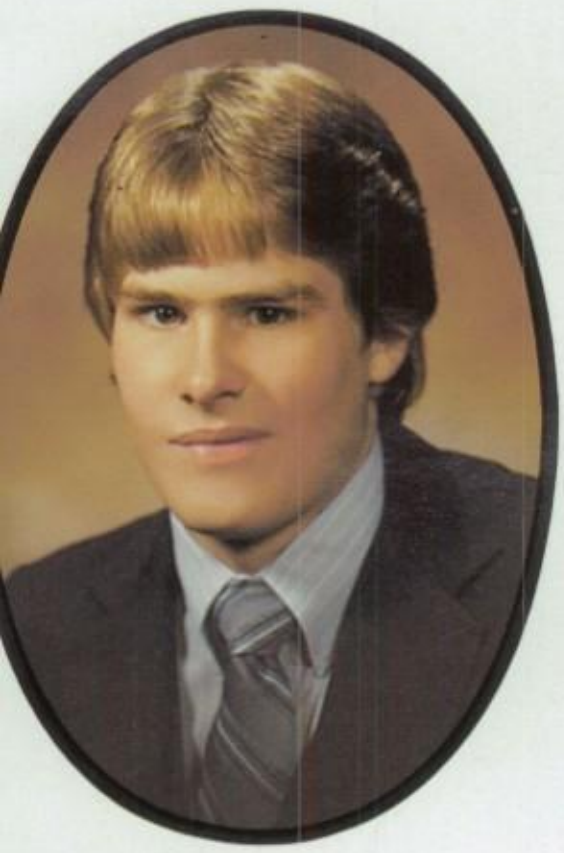

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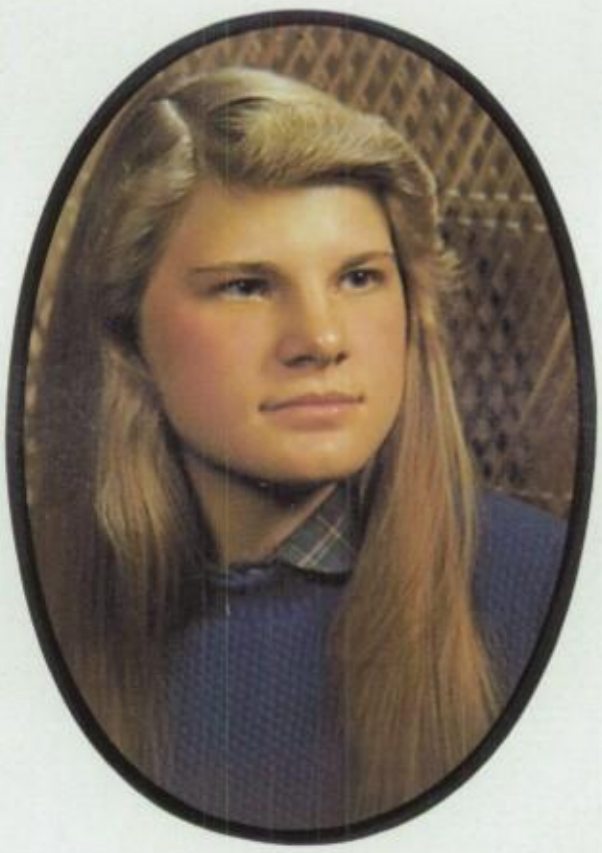

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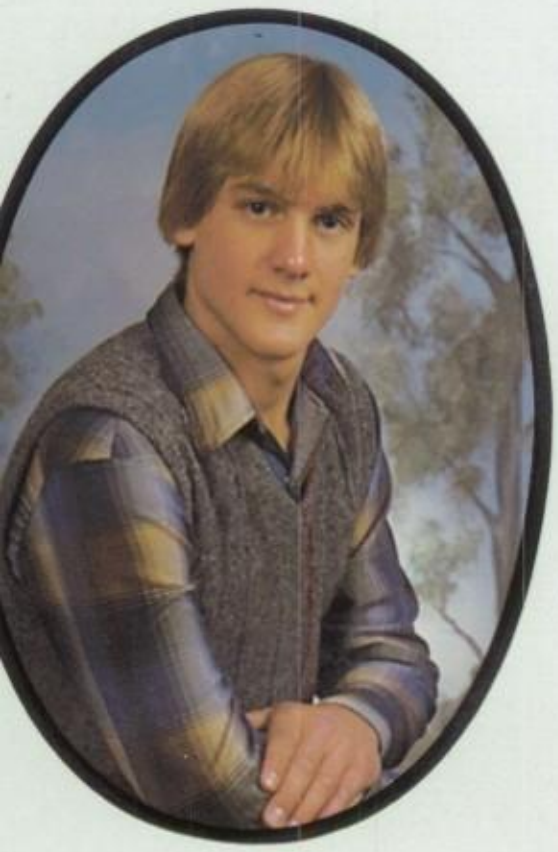

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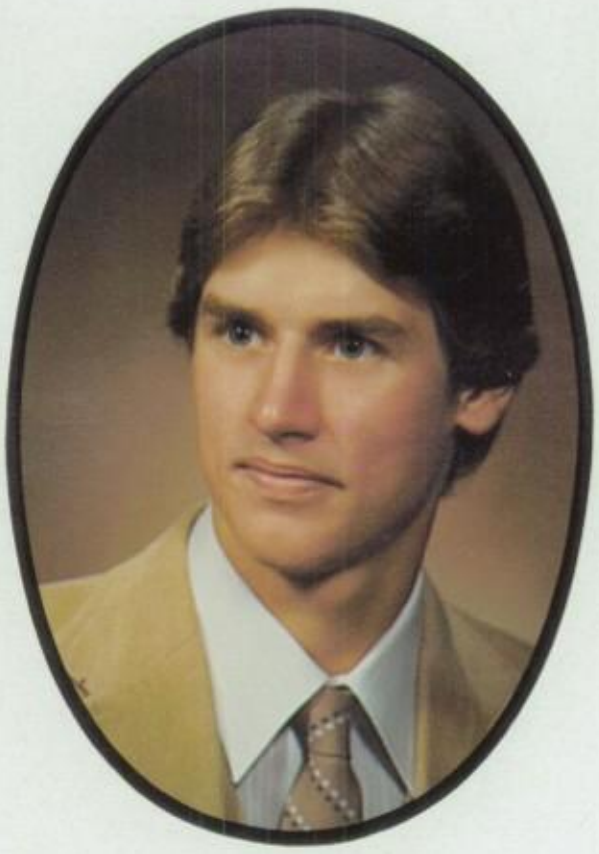

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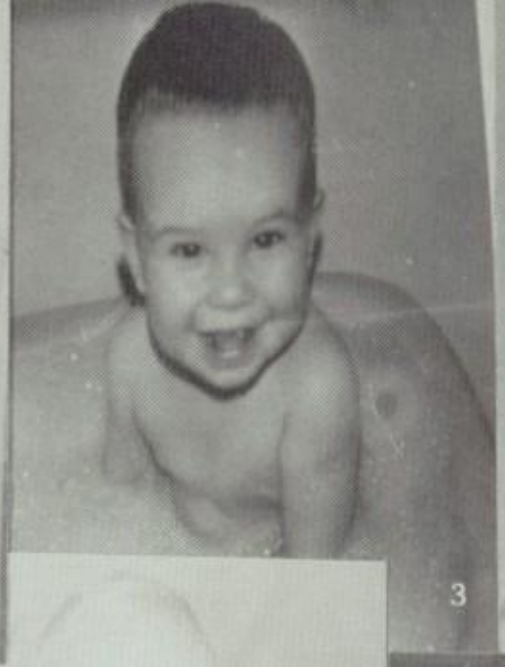
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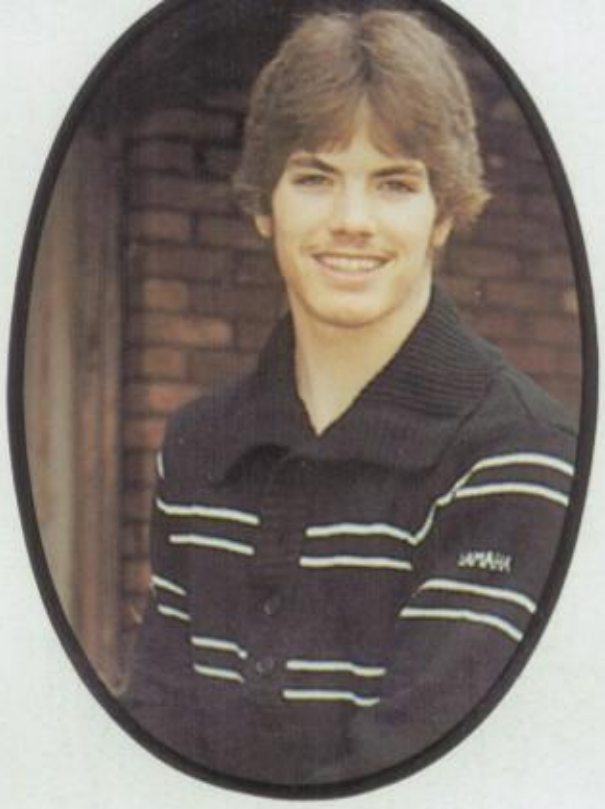

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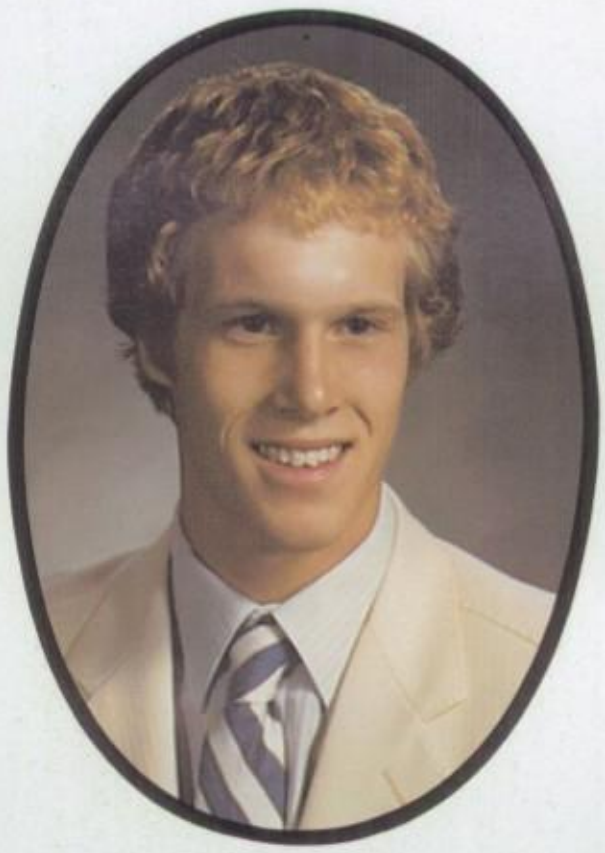

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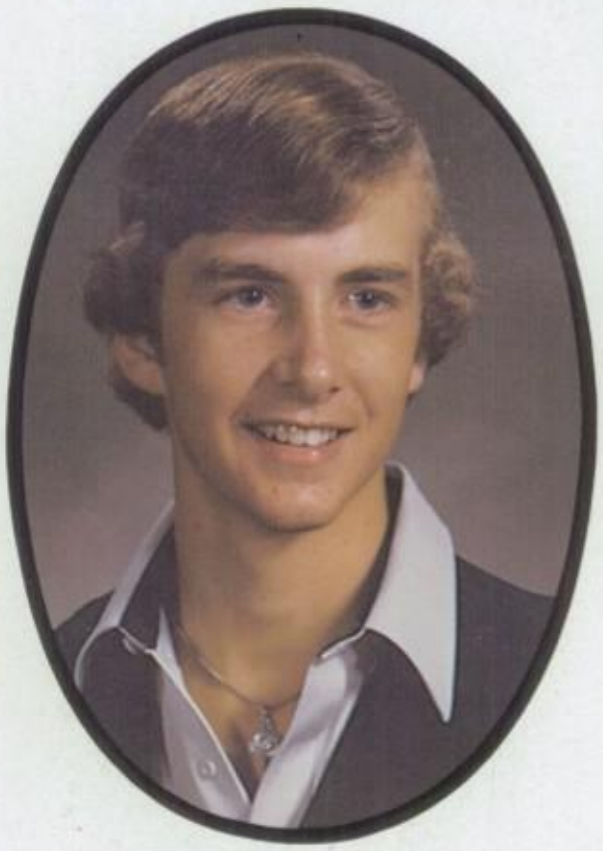

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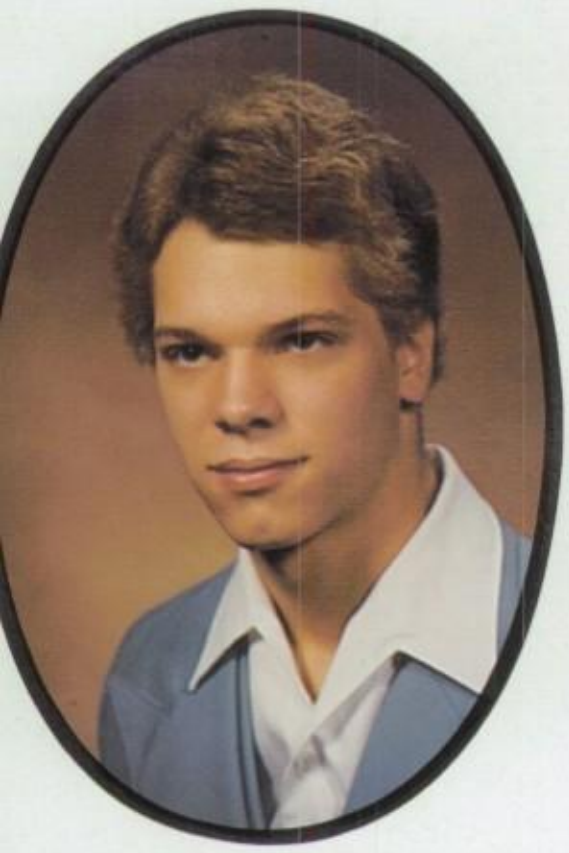

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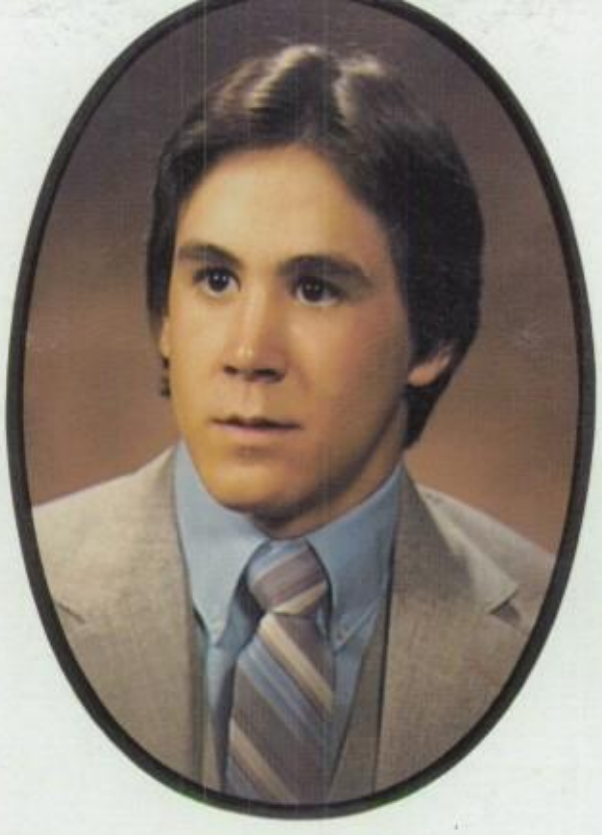

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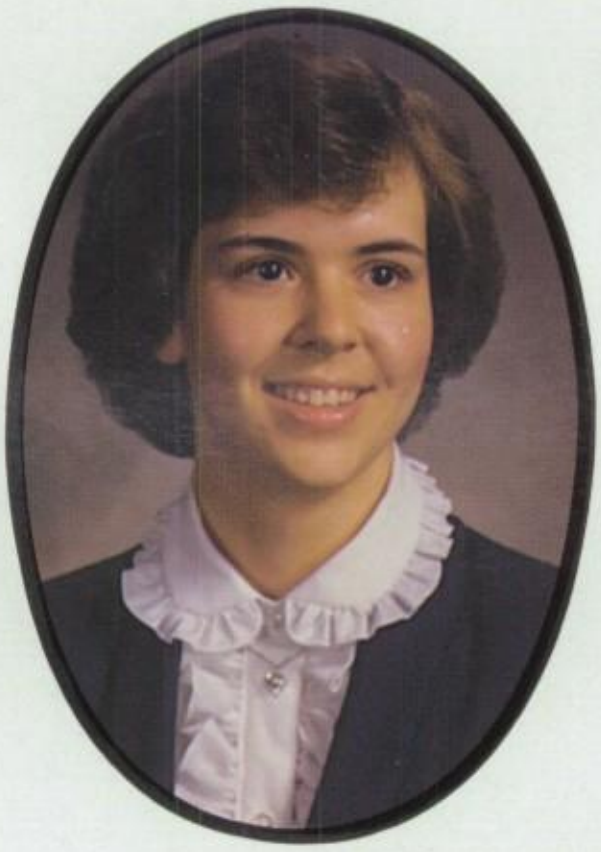

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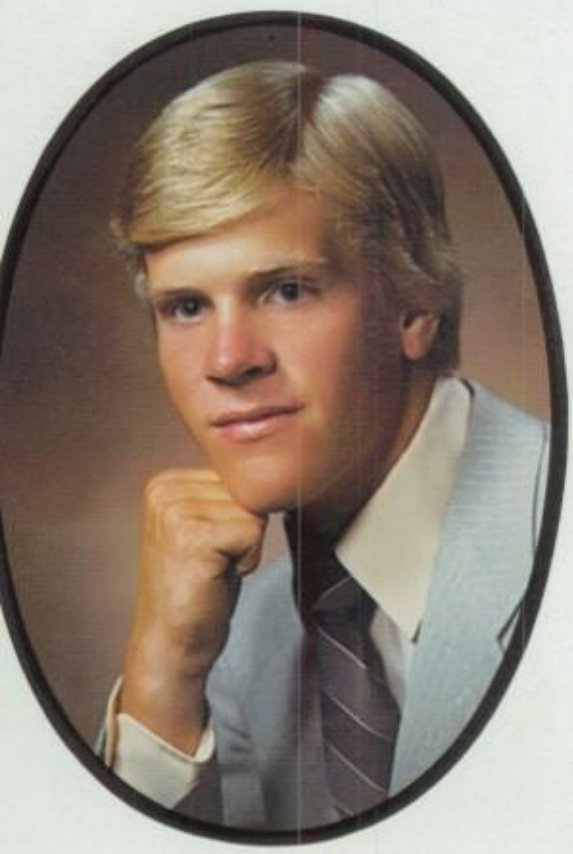

Paul Rongstad

David Schmidt

Mark Schoborg

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SENIOR WINTER ATHLETES

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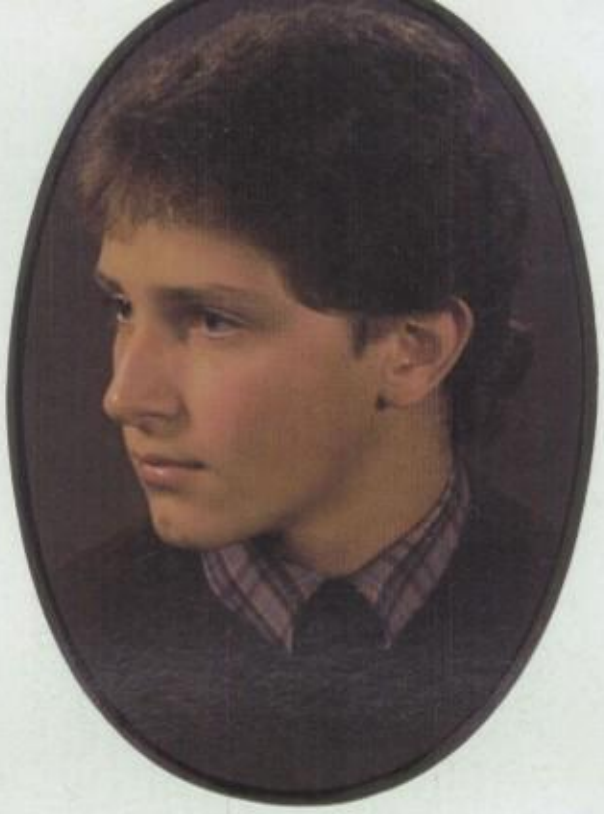
PROVIDE LEADERSHIP

Douglas Michael Schultz



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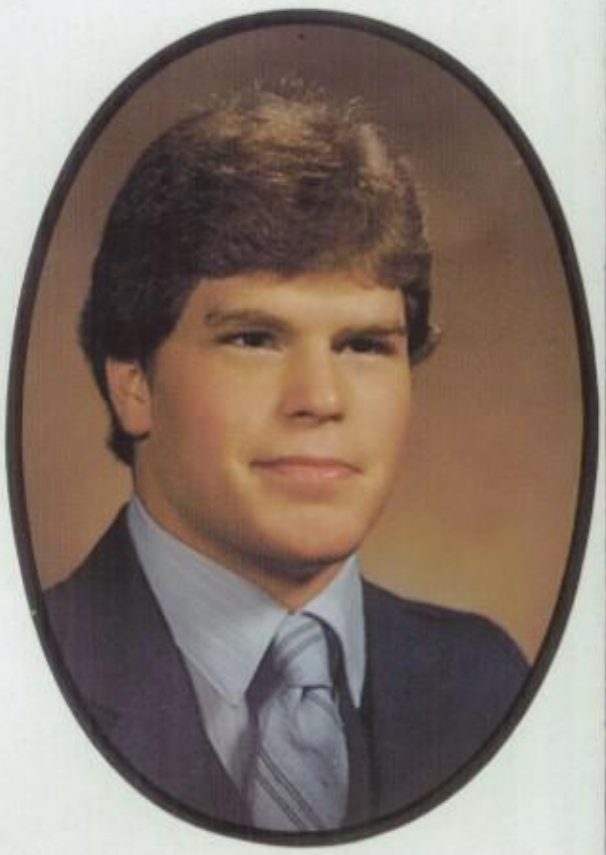

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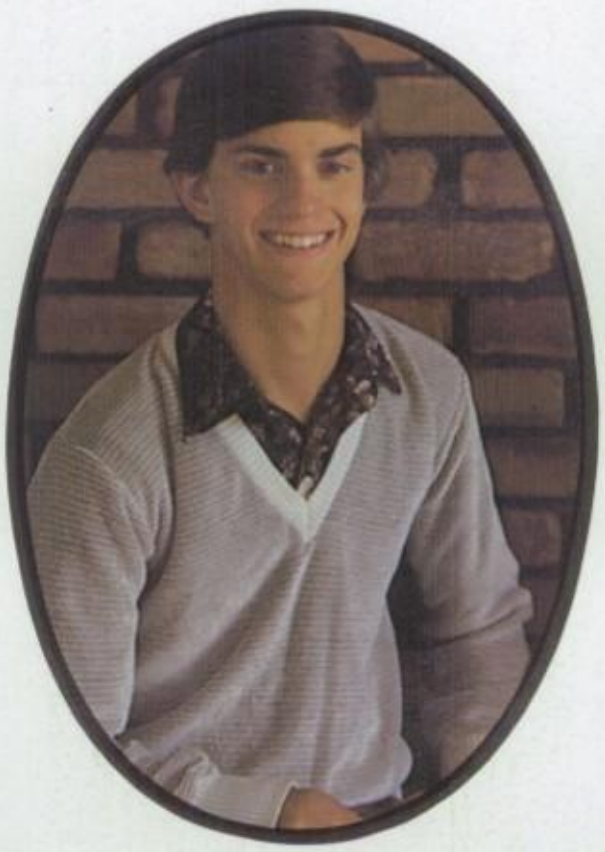

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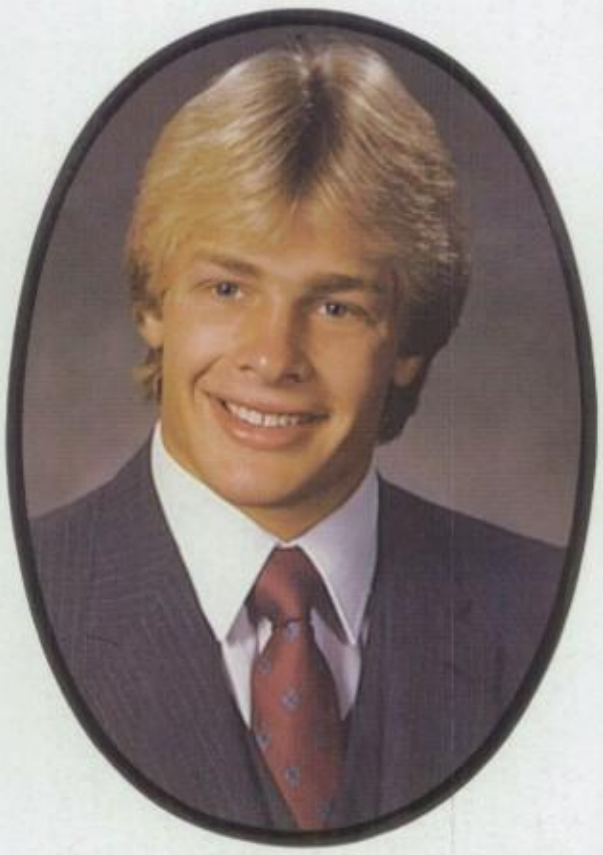

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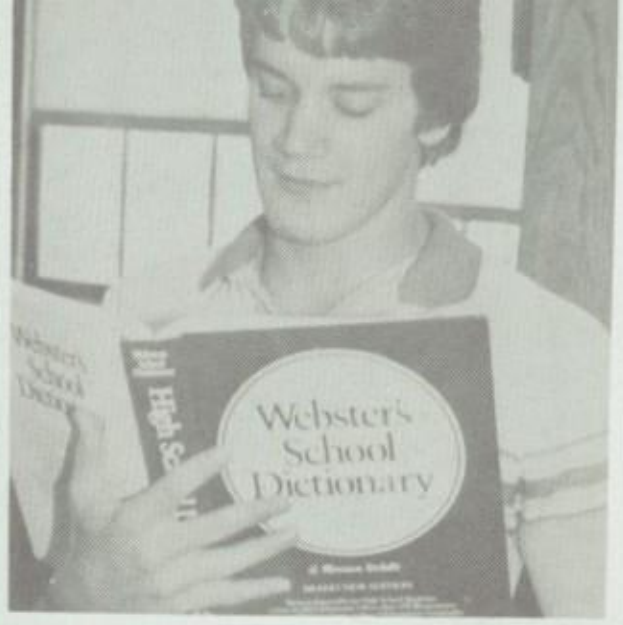
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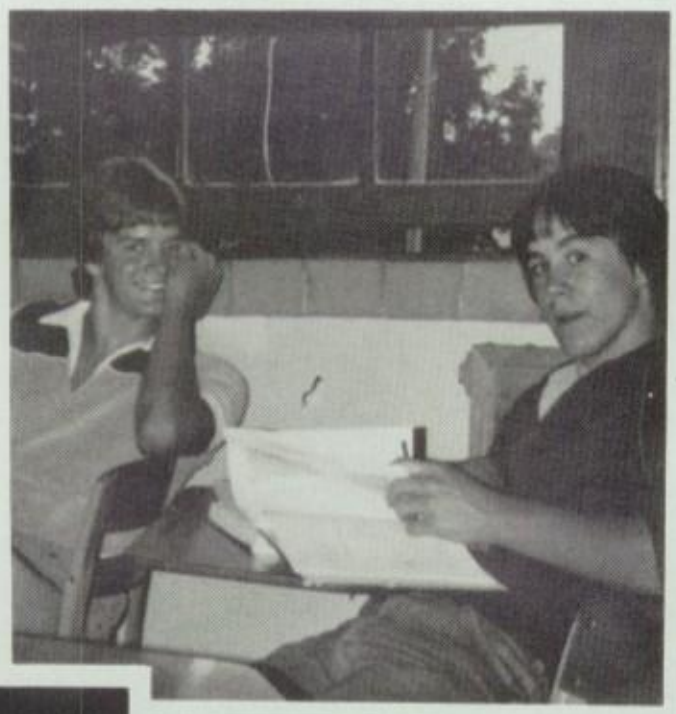

SENIOR TRACKSTERS

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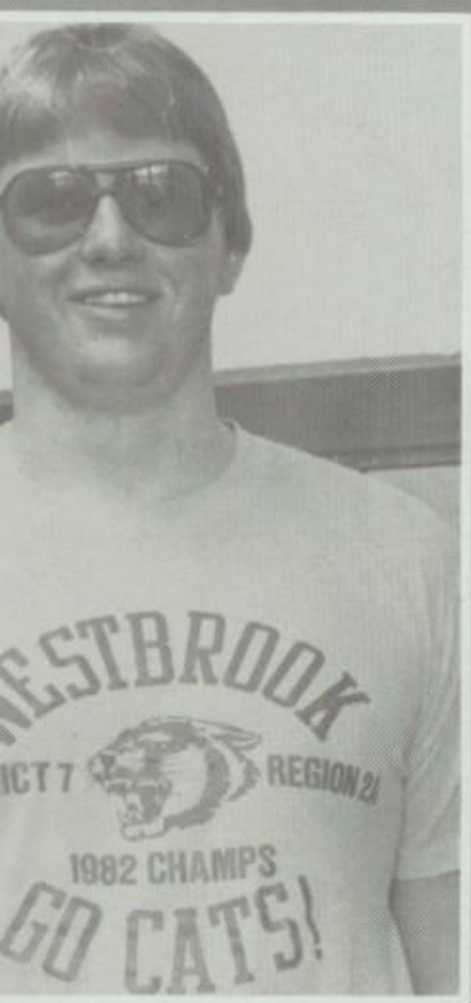
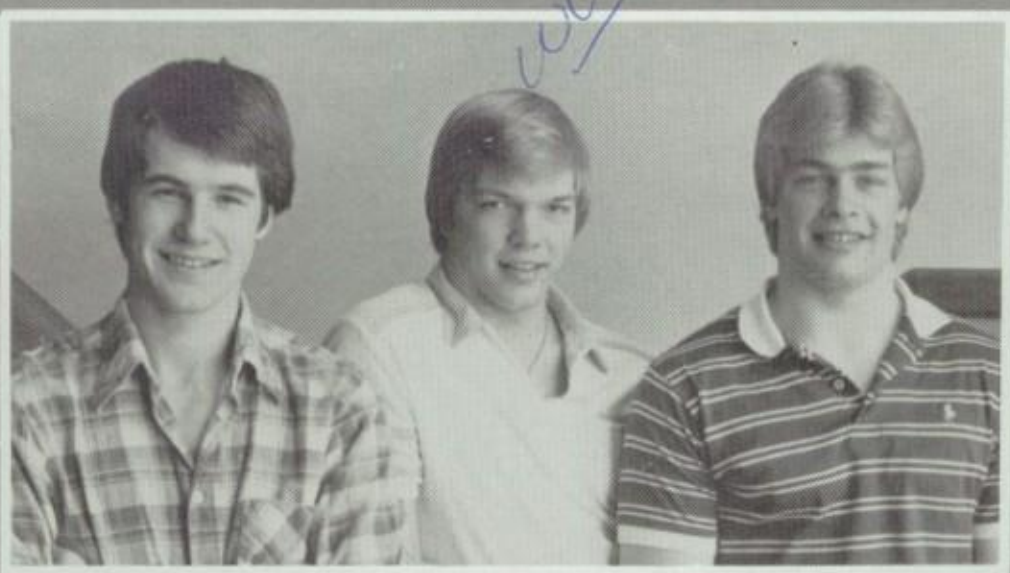
SENIORS '83 . . . GREAT

ALL-CONFERENCE GIRL'S BASKETBALL: Jann Dibble.

OFFICE CADETS: Front row: Kerri Jans, Elizabeth Olsem. Back row: Dwayne Green, Kevin Kuehl, John Vortherms, Mary Kottke, Bob Shaw, Mike Cross.



YEARS PERFECT ATTENANCE: Mark Schoborg.



ALL-CONFERENCE & ALL-AREA BOYS BASKETBALL: Steve Elzenga, Curt Mischke, Mike Weiske.

ARNOLD T. SANDERSON TRACK AWARD WINNERS FOR OUTSTANDING WEIGHT PERSON(S) AT TROJAN RELAYS: Mike Weiske, Mary Kottke, Sue Chapman

ALL-STATE BOYS BASKETBALL & WCCO PREP PARADE 1st TEAM OF THE YEAR: Steve Elzenga.

The Journey.

Deb,

Here we are seniors, can you believe it? We have just recently got to be friends thru cadeting 2nd year. Thank for being there for me when I needed someone to talk to, you are truly a great friend. I'd like to wish you the best of luck in the future and always. I also wish you the best with Tom. Thank for everything.

Friends forever,

Marie

NHS

Front row: Paul Anderson, Kari Bakken, Susan Chapman, Steve Elzenga, Kerri Jans, Nancy Morton, Karin Nelsen, Charlene Rachuy, Bob Shaw, David Moon, Faculty. Back row: Lynn Byers, Gina Christians, B.J. Madson, Lee Mischke, Becky Olson, Alison Cohrs, Naomi Lindstrom.

JR. HIGH CHOIR

Front row: Angie Bultman, Keela Bakken, Barb Kapp, Johnathon Amundson, Sheldon Olson, Angie Knakmuhs, Havinne Anderson, Melissa Shaw, Jan Howley. Second row: Lisa Erickson, Nicole Lindaman, Melanie Jutting, Mike White, Chad Christensen, Christian Nelsen, Natalie Heath, Linda Byers, Jenni Cohrs, Mary Hydukovich, Director. Third row: Jackie Erickson, Kari Gertner, Cheryl Sondergaard, Ole Nelson, Brad Berg, Mark Johnson, Nancy Olson, Ranae Vosberg, Donnella Teig.

JR. HIGH BAND

t row: Linda Byers, Jackie Erickson, nie Jutting, Ranae Vosberg, Cheryl dergaard, Nancy Olson, Melynda Spiel-, Paulette Peterson, Natalie Heath, Ha- Anderson. Second row: Bruce Byers, Klute, Mark Ennenga, Johnathon ndson, Kari Gertner, Jackie Klasse, An- Bultman, Angie Knakmuhs, Scott Cas- Mike White, Christian Nelsen. Third David Hydukovich, Director; Keela ken, Melissa Shaw, Linda Clayton, Amy ns, Michelle Wipperman, Paul Hanson, Johnson.

MUSIC AWARDS AND HONORS

DISTRICT PARTICIPANTS: Front row: Nathan Pederson, Charlene Rachuy, Gina Christians. Middle row: Lisa Cohrs, Heather Anderson, Karin Nelsen, Shari Singer. Back row: Sue Chapman, Judeen Busswitz, John Kapp, Lynn Byers, Naomi Lindstrom.

ALL-STATE CHOIR MEMBER: Christie Christensen.

DISTRICT & REGION-STATE STAR VOCAL DUET: Nancy Morton, Rebecca Bloch.

REGION-STATE INSTRUMENTAL STARS: Front row: Gina Christians, Clarinet Duet; Karin Nelsen, Piano Solo; Shari Singer, Flute Solo. Back row: Judeen Busswitz, Flute Solo; Lynn Byers, Clarinet & Piano Solos, Clarinet Duet; Naomi Lindstrom, Piano Solo.

DISTRICT & REGION-STATE STAR VOCAL QUARTET: Dorien Kvilhaug, Alison Cohrs, Christie Christensen. Not pictured: Lori Soll.

ACCOMPANISTS: Judeen Busswitz, Lynn Byers, Karin Nelsen, Jeanne Jans.

DISTRICT INSTRUMENTAL STARS: Front row: Susan Chapman, Alto Sax Solo; Lisa Cohrs, Alto Sax Solo; Heather Anderson, French Horn Solo; Gina Christians, Clarinet Duet; Karin Nelsen, Piano Solo; Shari Singer, Flute Solo. Back row: Judeen Busswitz, Flute Solo; John Kapp, Timpani Solo; Lynn Byers, Clarinet & Piano Solos, Clarinet Duet; Naomi Lindstrom, Piano Solo.

DISTRICT STAR VOCAL SOLOS: Eric Nelsen, Nancy Morton, Becky Olson, Christie Christensen. Not pictured: Lori Soll.

DISTRICT & REGION-STATE STAR CLARINET DUET: Lynn Byer Gina Christians.

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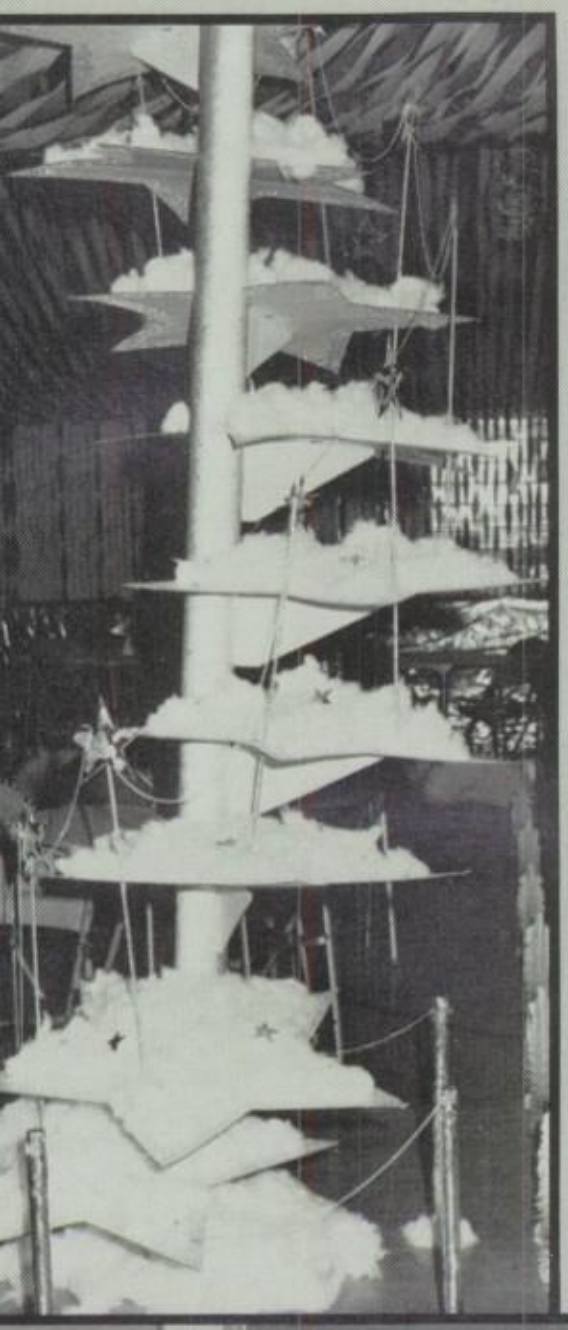

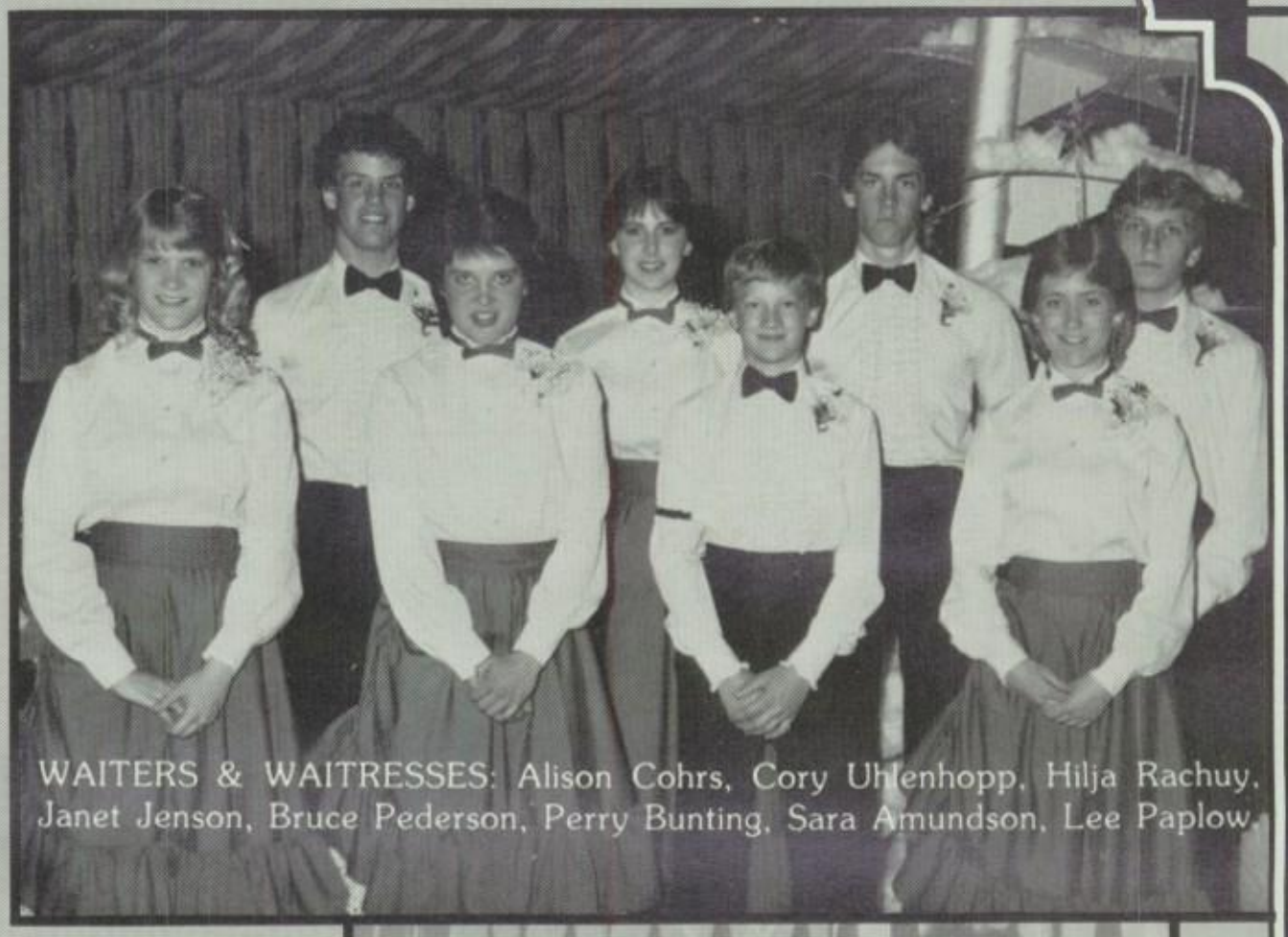

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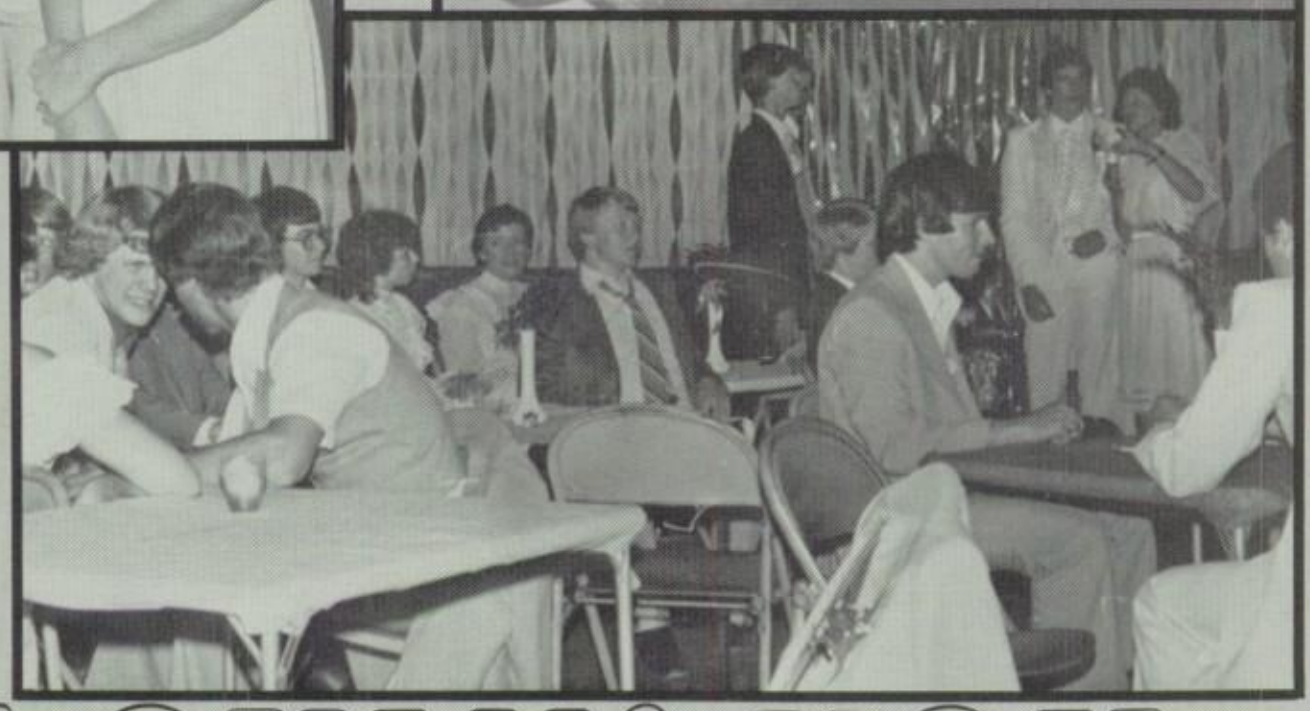

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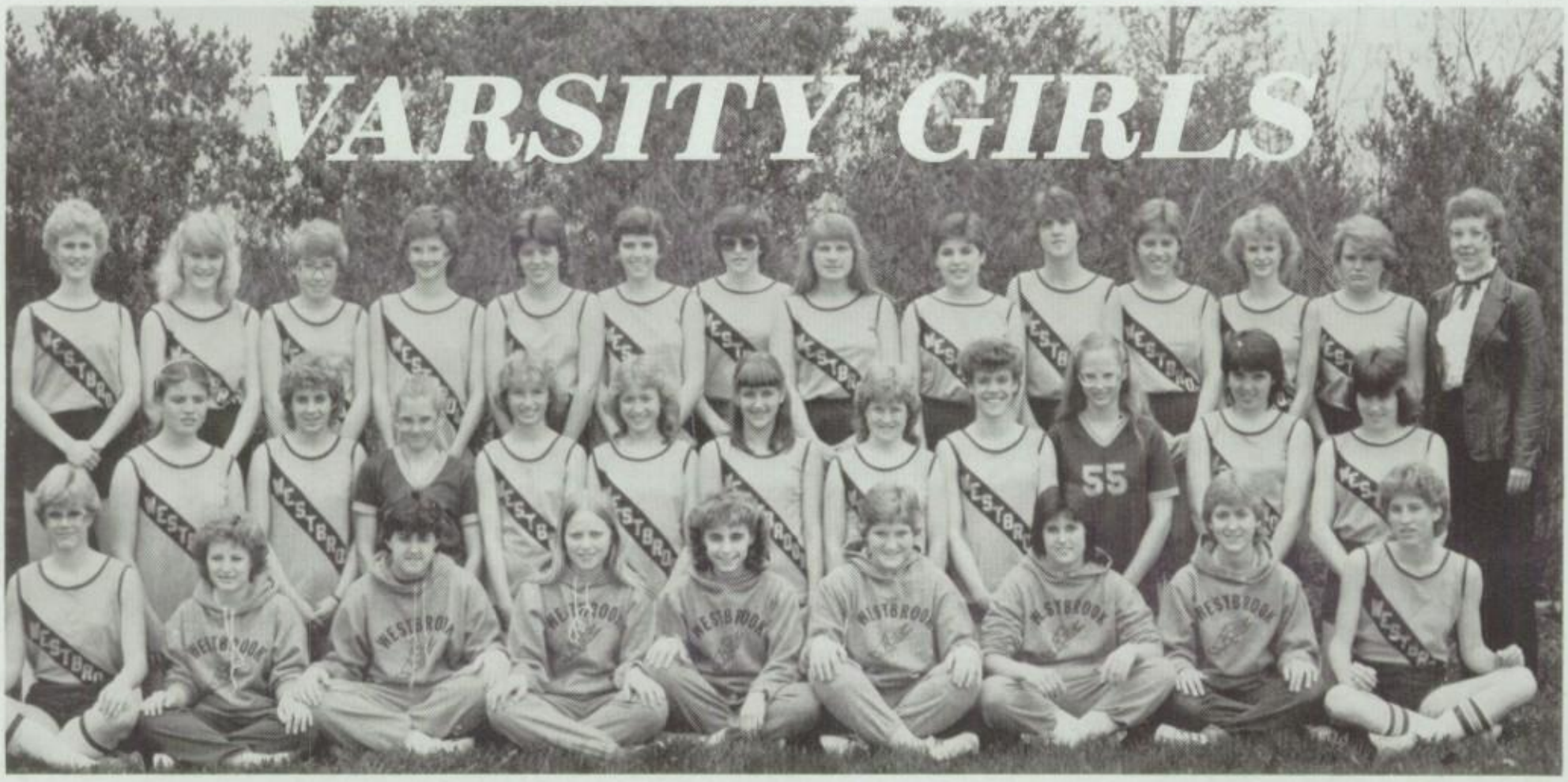

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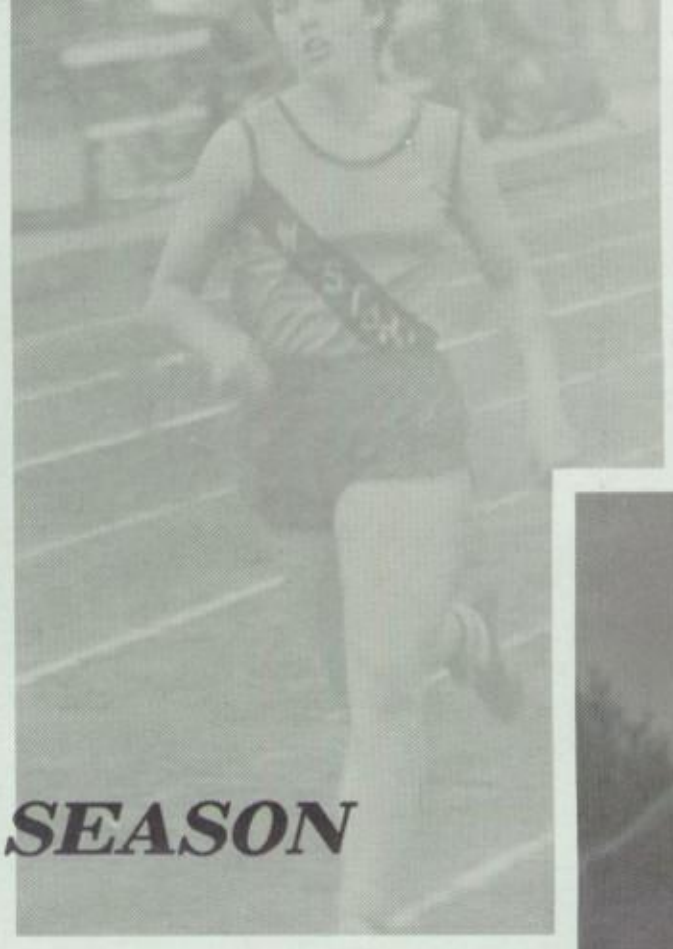
STATE TRACK PARTICIPANT:
Mary Kottke.

Front row: Ruth Larson, Charmaine Rachuy, Paula Kronback, Elizabeth Nelsen. Second row: Angie Knakmuhs, Barb Kapp, Havinne Anderson, Jackie Klasse, Melissa Shaw, Jenni Cohrs, Nicole Lindaman, Keela Bakken. Third row: Donnella Teig, Manager; Natalie Heath, Linda DeBates, Angie Bultman, Melynda Spielman, Linda Byers, Jackie Erickson, Nancy Olson, Melanie Jutting, Lisa Erickson, Joan Bultman, Coach.

THE MANY FACES OF A SEASON



CAT GIRLS END FINE SEASON

The girls track team had a very successful season this year considering how young the team was. The Wildcats won the Arrow Relays, the Pipestone Invitational and recaptured the Conference Title for the sixth time.

An outstanding individual for the Cats this year was sophomore, Hilja Rachuy. Hilja advanced to the region in both the 400 meter dash, 800 meter dash and anchored the 1600 meter relay.

Another outstanding individual who helped the Cats out tremendously was senior, Mary Kottke. Mary advanced to region and placed second in the shot put. She then advanced to state and placed ninth with a toss of 35'4".

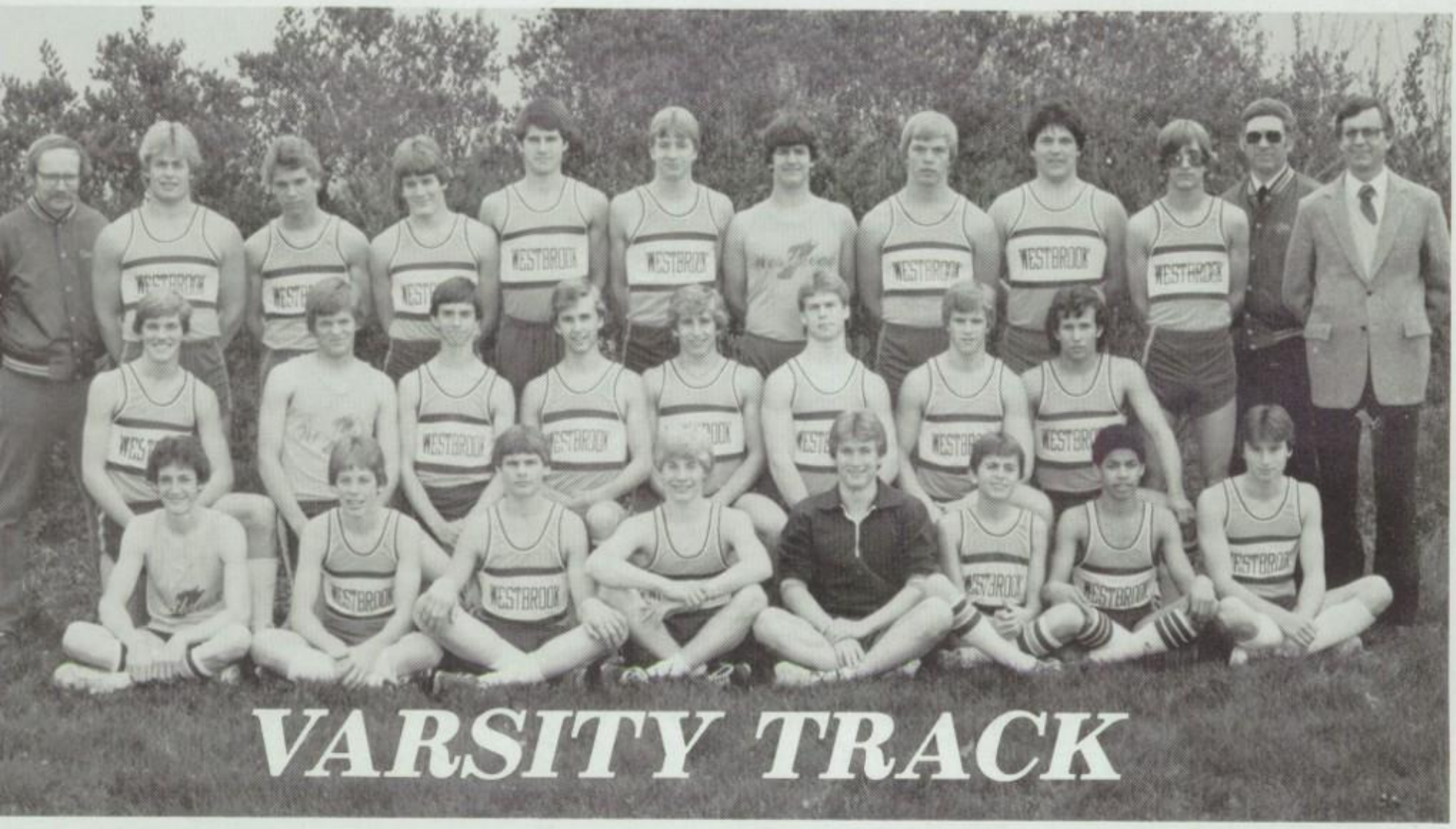
Senior, Susan Chapman also helped the Cats in the shot put and discus area. Susan also advanced to region in both of her events.

Both Mary and Susan were chosen co-recipiants of the Arnold T. Sanderson Award given out at the Trojan Relays to the most valuable weight person.

Overall the Wildcats had a fine season and many congratulations to them for a job well done.

RED ROCK CONFERENCE CHAMPS

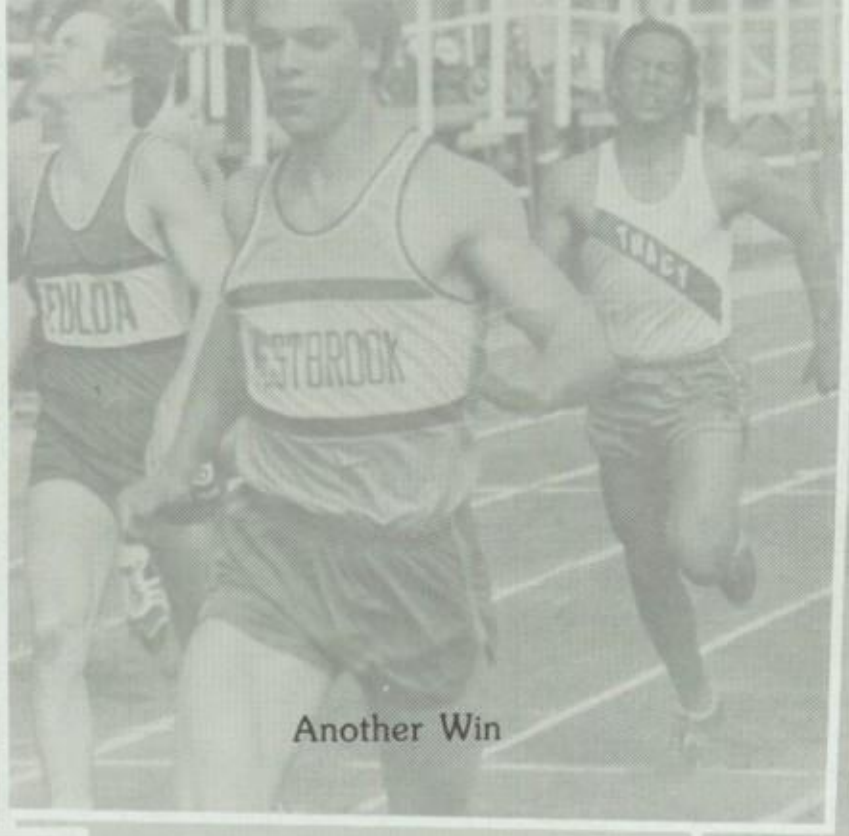
7TH YEAR RUNNING



Front row: Corey Bunting, David Nelsen, John Kottke, David Weiske, Dirk Dittersdorf, Mark Kjorness, Jim Kvilhaug, Jim Marshall, Second row: Dale Mischke, Jason Erickson, John Vortherms, Monte Nelson, B.J. Madson, Dean Anderson, Paul Rongstad, Mike Schultz. Third row: Bill White, Asst. Coach; Mike Weiske, Mike Norstegard, Mark Caswell, Steve Elzenga, David Schmidt, Bret Lindaman, Curt Mischke, Bob Madson, Eric Grams, Jim Soll, Asst. Coach; Steve Kjorness, Coach.

RICT 7 & REGION 2A COACH OF THE
R: Coach Steve Kjorness.

Front row: Chad Christensen, Johnathon Amundson, Maury Kuehl, Ole Nelson, Brad Berg, Curt Yochem, Christian Nelsen, Joey Merchant. Second row: Mike White, Ricky Elzenga, Ryan Ware, Fred Hage, Chris Schlichte, David Bloch, Mark Ennenga, Keith Kottke. Third row: Steve Kjorness, Coach; Brian Klute, Dennis Jans, Jason Erickson, Jim Marshall, David Weiske, Dale Mischke, Bret Lindaman, Corey Bunting, David Nelsen, Jim Kvilhaug, Mark Kjorness, Jim Soll, Asst. Coach.

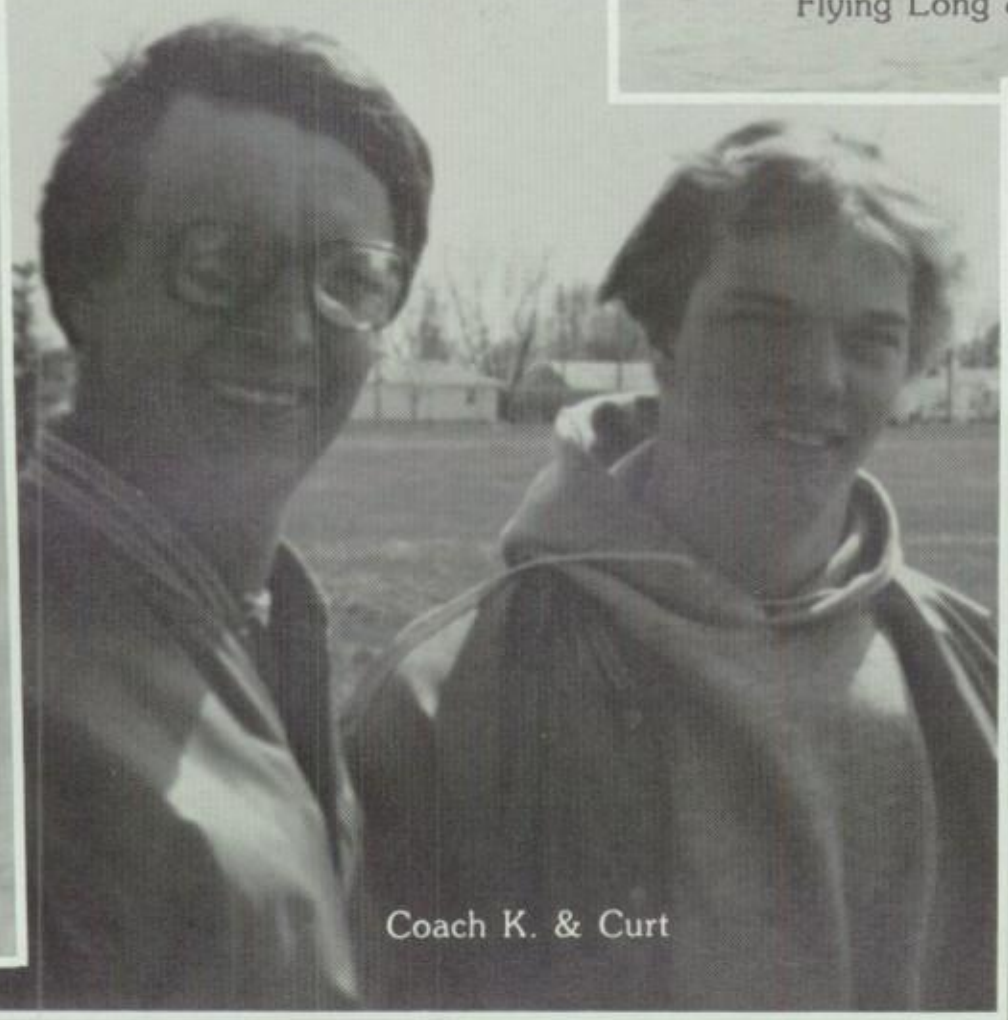


Another Win

Flying Long & High

The long
Distance Runner

Concentration!



Coach K. & Curt

We'll show them
we're #1!

Dean -up & over!

Push Hard, Mike.

DISTRICT 7 AND REGION 2A CHAMPS

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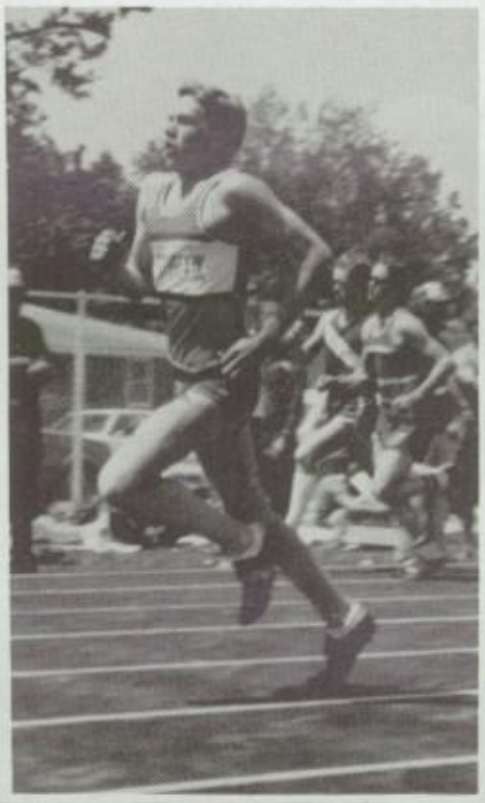


"So go tell your mama, what the BIG boys eat!"

Mike Norstegard and Steve Elzenga in a big conference.

ION 2A PARTICIPANTS: Front row-Dirk Dittersdorf, BJ Madson, Paul Rongstad, Dean erson, Meet Official. Back row-Steve Elzenga, Mike Norstegard, David Schmidt, Mike ske, Curt Mischke, Meet Official.

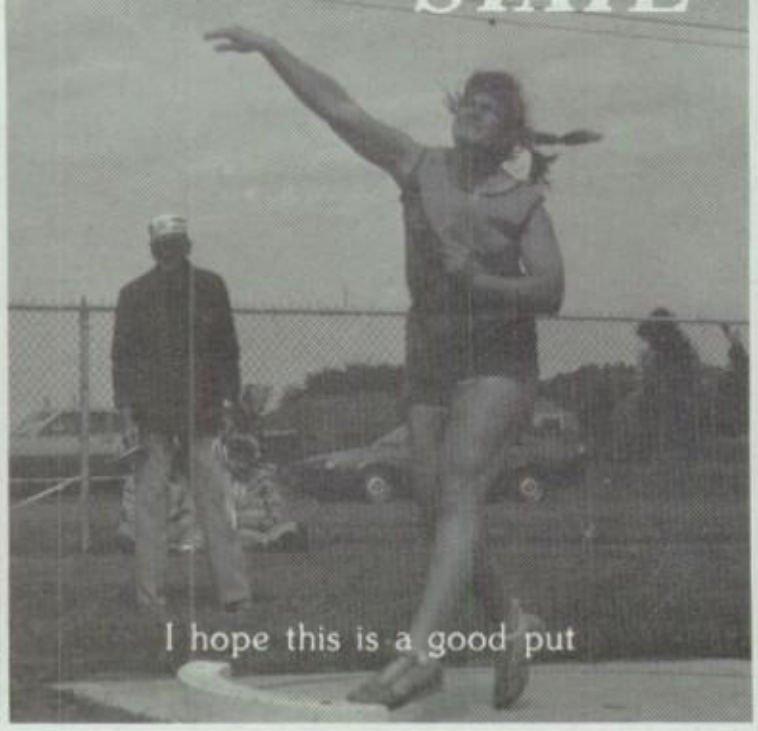
Mary Kottke participating at state.

State Track Results

Mike Weiske: 2nd Place in Shot Put 55'4"
Mike Norstegard: Qualified for finals in 100 and 200 meter dashes, 1600 Meter Sprint Medley Relay Team (BJ Madson, Dean Anderson, Mike Schultz, Steve Elzenga): Qualified for finals; Time: 3:38.3 (School Record)
1600 Meter Relay Team (Mike Schultz, David Schmidt, Steve Elzenga, Mike Norstegard): Placed 6th in State; Time: 3:31.3
Mary Kottke: Only girl's track participant; Placed 9th in the shot put with a toss of 35'4".

TRACK RECORDS BROKEN THIS YEAR

1600 Meter Sprint Medley: 3:38.3 (BJ Madson, Dean Anderson, Mike Schultz, Steve Elzenga) 1600 Meter Relay: 3:29.4 (Mike Schultz, David Schmidt, Steve Elzenga, Mike Norstegard).
200 Meter Dash: Mike Norstegard 22.3
Shot Put: Mike Weiske 56'¾"



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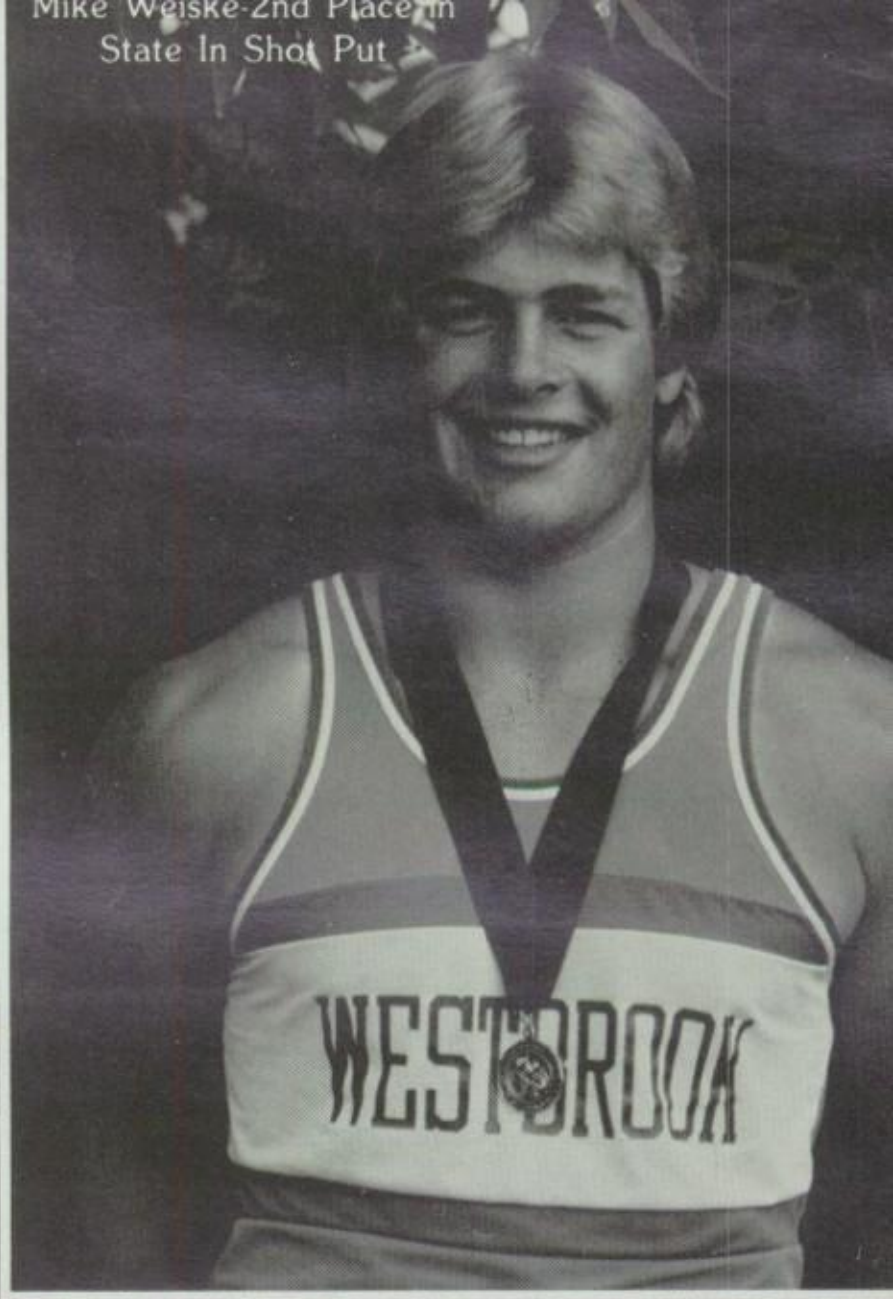
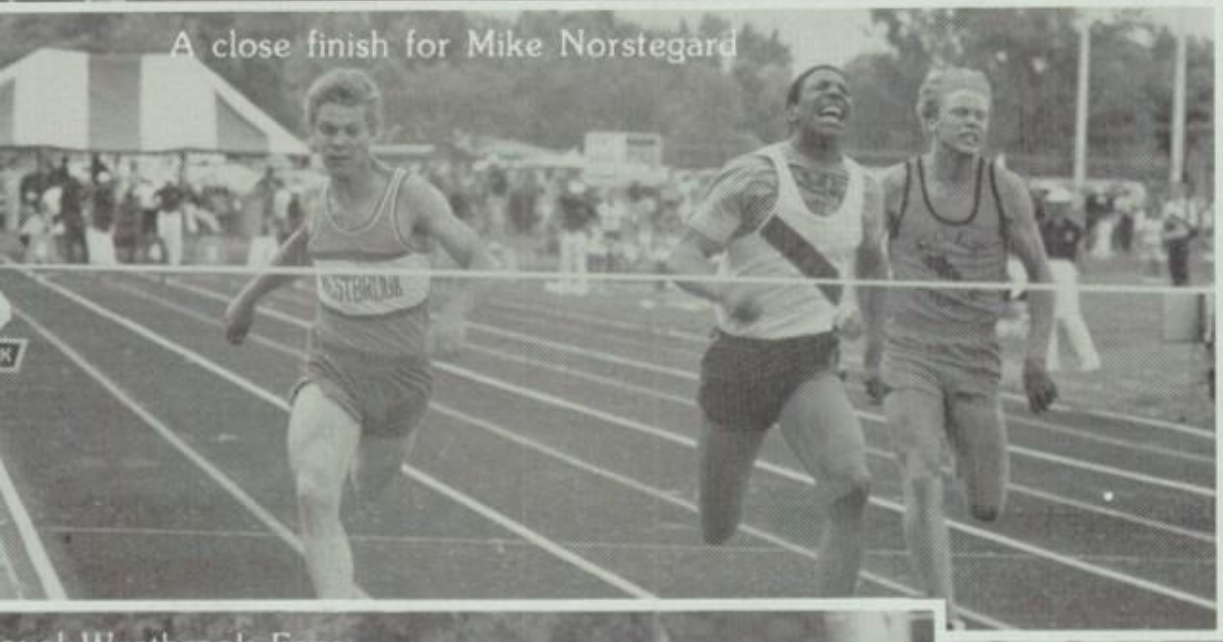


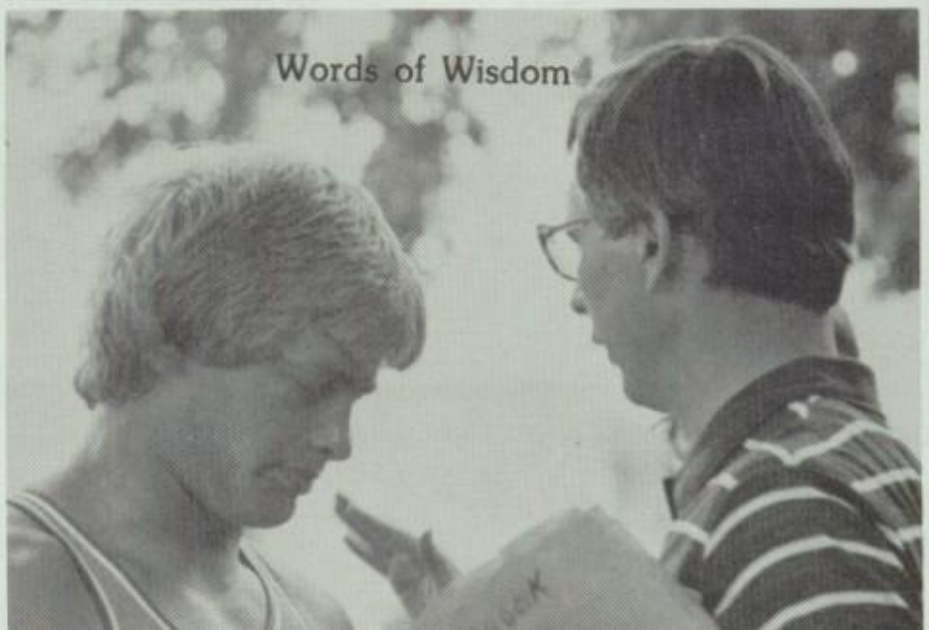
Mike Weiske-2nd Place in State In Shot Put

Shot Put Awards Ceremony



A close finish for Mike Norstegard

oyal Westbrook Fans



Words of Wisdom

Mary K.

YOU NEVER PART WITH MEMORIES; THEY BECOME A PART OF YOU.
SO WHAT YOU DO TODAY IS WHAT YOU MIGHT BE TOMORROW.

SHERS & USHERETTES: Front row: Teresa Sorenson, Becky son, Denise Shaw, Marnee Ennenga. Back row: Curt Horkey, ter Wahl, Dean Anderson, Paul Vosberg, Lee Mischke.

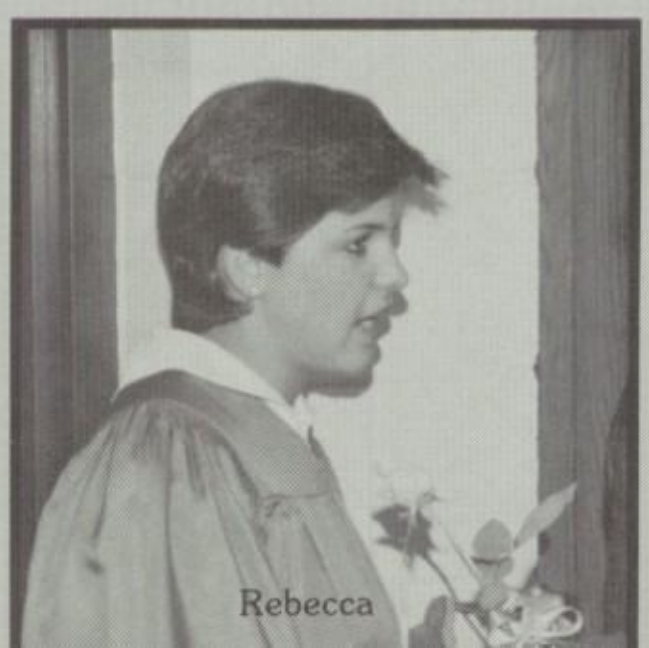
HEAD USHERETTE: Becky Olson; HEAD USHER: Dean Anderson.

PIANISTS: Marian Johnson, Mark John-son.

FLOWERS: Julie Lidtke, Gina Christians.

GLAD GRADS

94 John



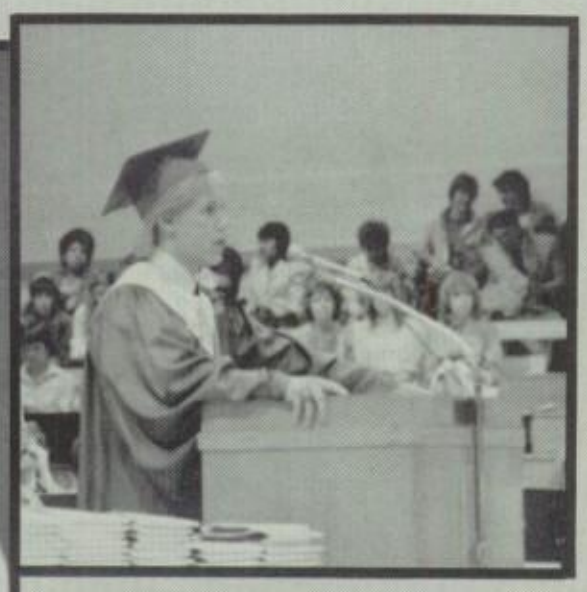
Rebecca

Dwayne

CLASS OF 1983

Front row: Judeen Busswitz, Laurie Worden, Karin Nelsen, Kari Bakken, Izumi Hirakawa, Ann Knutson, Barbara Horkey, Vickie Clausen, Rebecca Bloch. Second row: Michael Weiske, Kevin Kuehl, Kerri Jans, Charlene Rachuy, Elizabeth Olsem, Susan Chapman, Mary Kottke, Nancy Morton, Lynn Howley, Joan Howley, Jann Dibble, Karron Bloch, Eeva Fomin. Third row: Lowell Noomen, Todd Meier, David Schmidt, James Lamb, Curtis Mischke, Mark Schoborg, David Fowler, LeeLand Mischke, Gregg Bunting, Steven Burns, Craig Ohlson, Dwayne Green, Eric Nelsen. Fourth row: Mark Caswell, Brian Jensen, Lee Vosberg, Kurt Villa, John Vortherms, Steve Elzenga, Michael Norstegard, Michael Schultz, Robert Shaw, Michael Cross, Monte Nelsen, Paul Rongstad, Paul Anderson, John Kapp.

Kerri Jans, Salutatorian
Charlene Rachuy, Valedictorian



Paul Anderson
Class Speaker

Mitch Abraham
Commencement Speaker

SENIOR NHS

Front row: Kari Bakken, Kerri Jans, Charlene Rachuy, Susan Chapman. Back row: Karin Nelsen, Paul Anderson, Bob Shaw, Steve Elzenga, Nancy Morton.

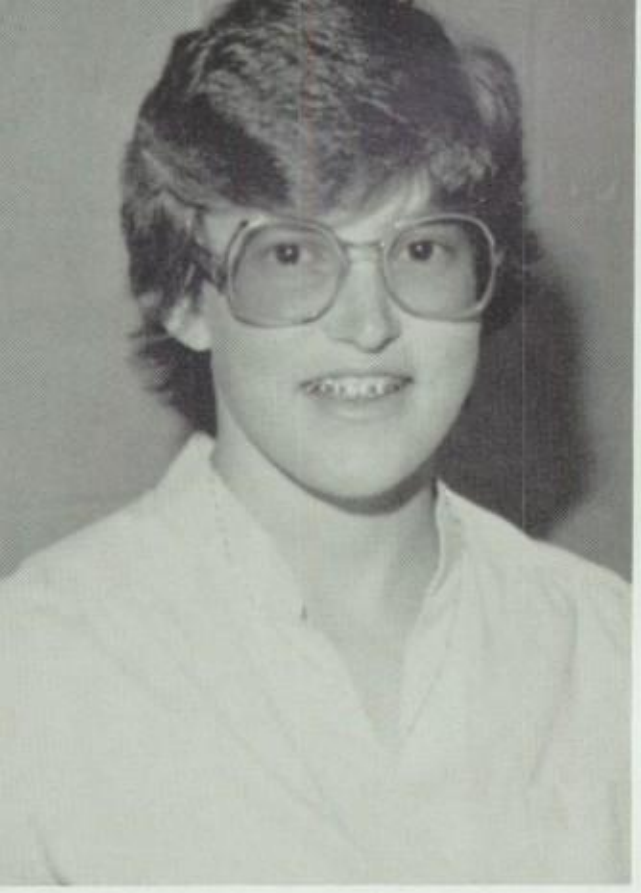
HONOR STUDENTS

Front row: Kari Bakken, Laurie Worden, Charlene Rachuy, Kerri Jans, Elizabeth Olsem, Susan Chapman. Back row: Karin Nelsen, Eric Nelsen, Paul Anderson, Bob Shaw, Steve Elzenga, Monte Nelson, Nancy Morton, Mary Kottke.

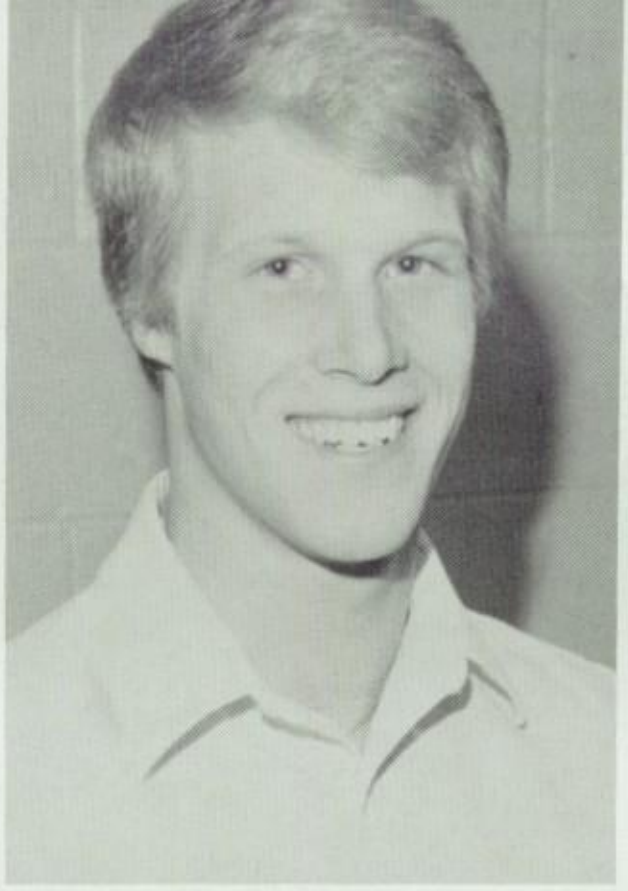
RICAN LEGION SCHOLAR- AWARD (Vocational): Curt nke.

AMERICAN LEGION AUX. SCHOLARSHIP AWARD (Vocational): Vickie Clausen.

ROLF B. HAGE SCHOLARSHIP (SSU): Elizabeth Olsem.

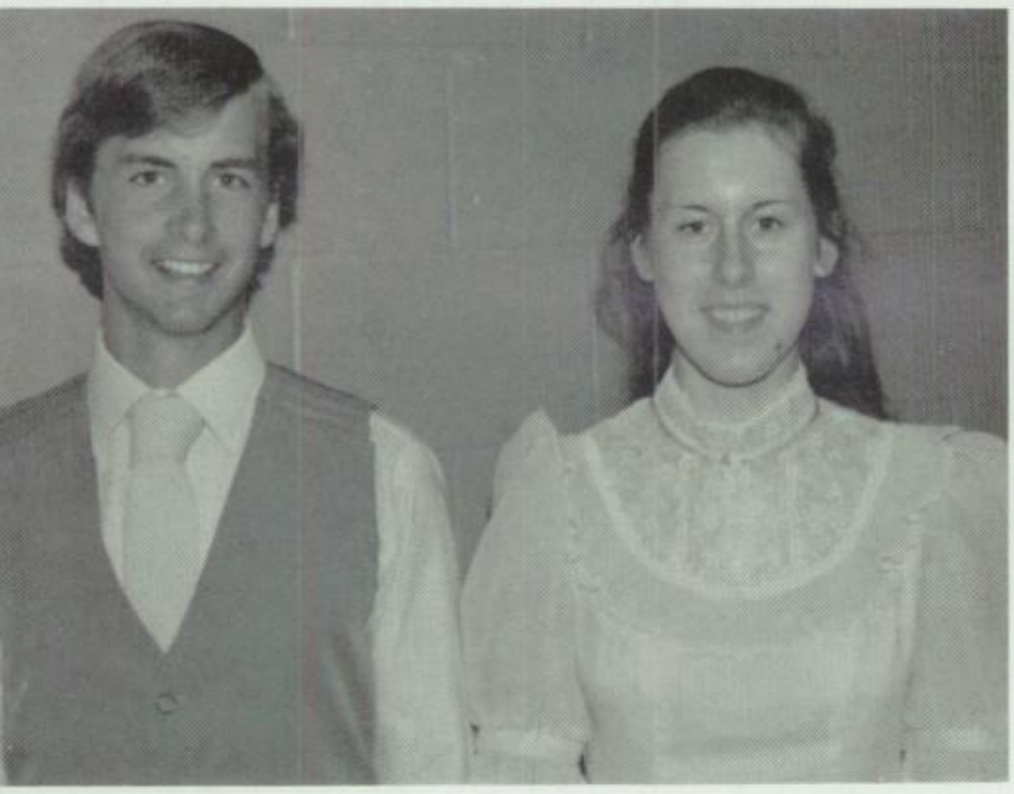


MELVIN KLASSE SCHOLARSHIP: Susan Chapman.



TOP MATH STUDENT IN WEST-BROOK: Eric Nelsen.

SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA SCHOLARSHIP AWARD: Mary Kottke.



KIWANIS SCHOLARSHIP: Monte Nelson, Kerri Jans.

JAYCEES SCHOLARSHIP: Kari Bakken, Charlene Rachuy.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

AMERICAN LEGION SCHOOL AWARD: John Vortherms, Ann Knut-on.

TORO SCHOLARSHIP: Laurie Worden.

Pay attention, CLASS!

Got IT!

Is it my turn yet?

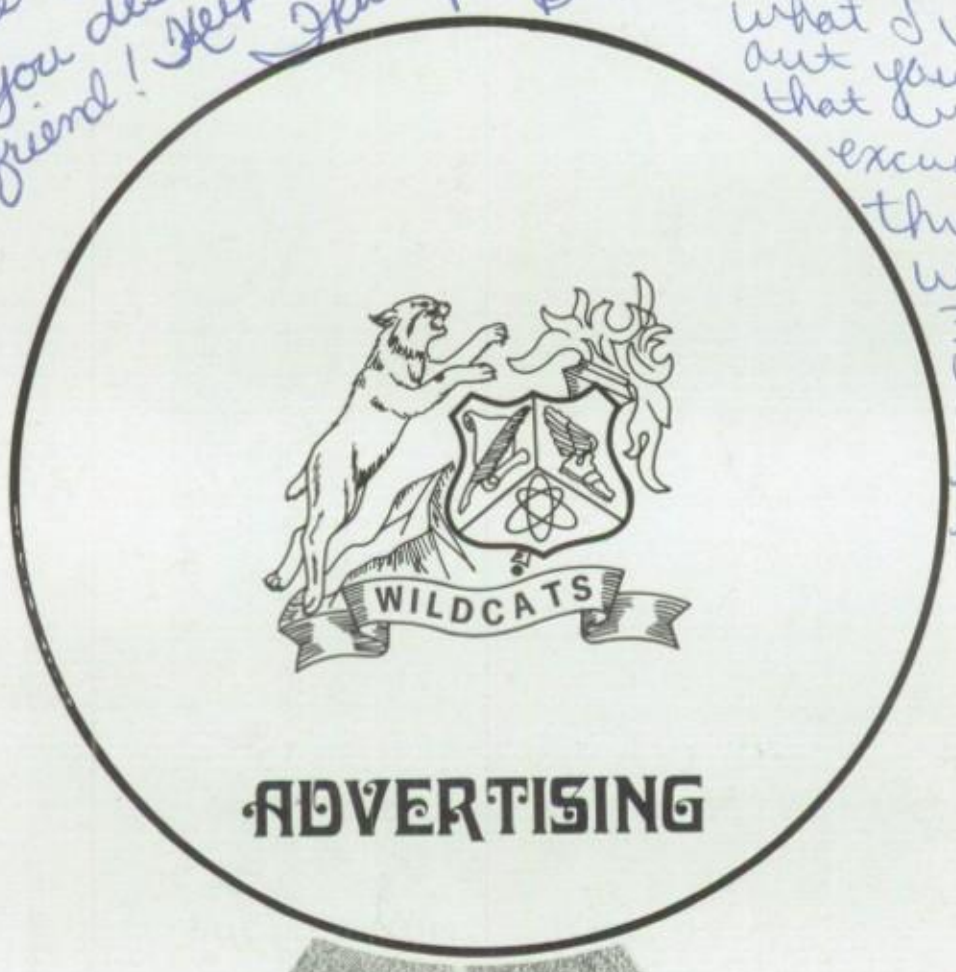
ANTICIPATION!

The Journey.

Deb,
I'm really glad we've had our chance to get to know each other. We've had some interesting experiences in foods! I really hope you succeed in school next year, you deserve the best. Thanx for being my friend! Keep Smiling!
Friends Always!!
Deb

Deb,
School sure has been great this year, I don't know what I would have done without that your support! Now that we're seniors we have an excuse for all the crazy things we've done and will do!!! Good Luck with Tom, College, and the future. Keep in touch and I'll remember you always!

Love Ya,
Jacque



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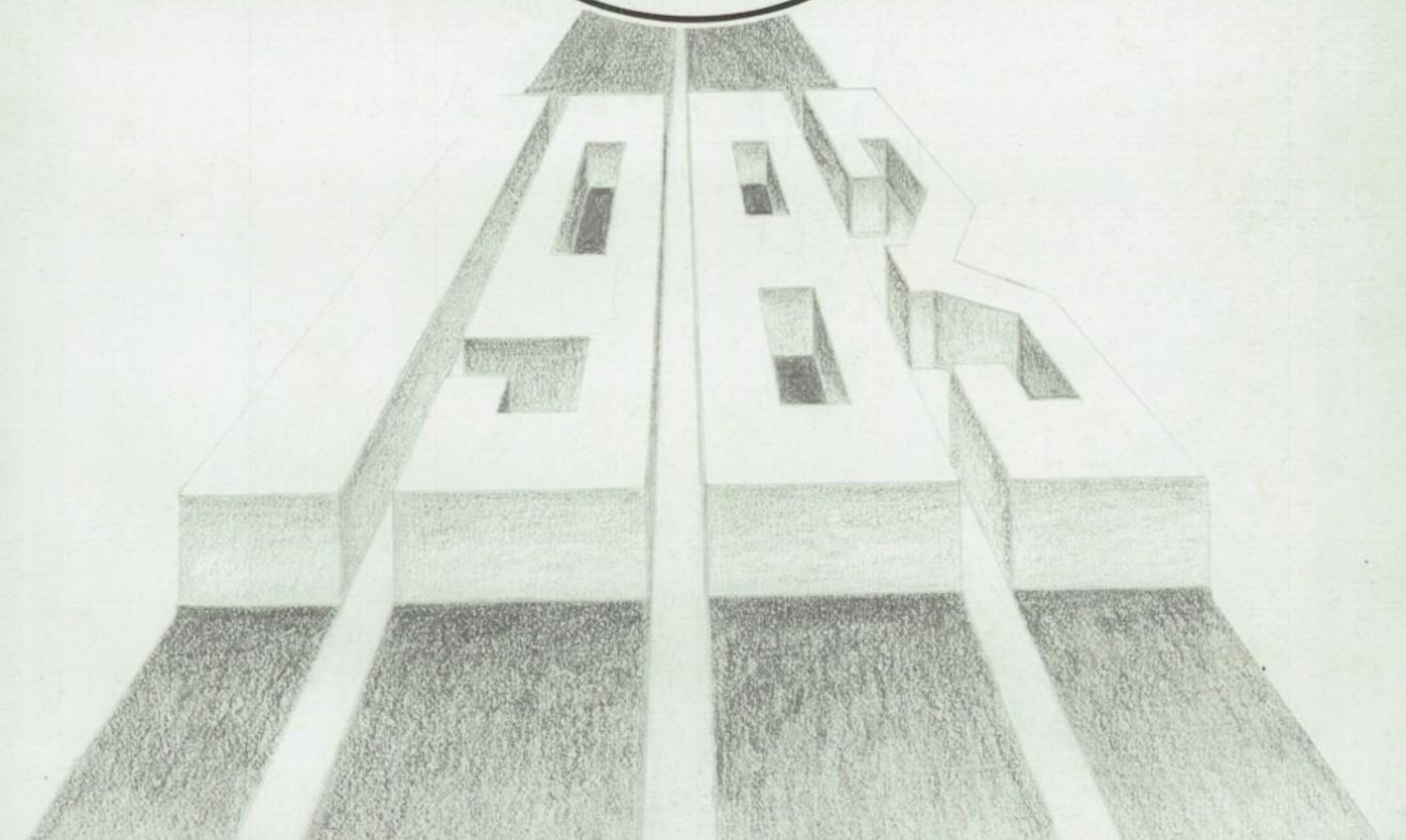

Deb,
To a nice girl,
Good luck in every-
thing you do. I hope
your future brings
you happiness.
Take Care,
Lisa

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Deb,
I'd like to wish you the best of luck; I'm sure you'll do well. I want to apologize for all the times that I've picked on you; you should know that I never meant it! Keep on working hard Deb, and again, Good Luck,
Lee Mischke

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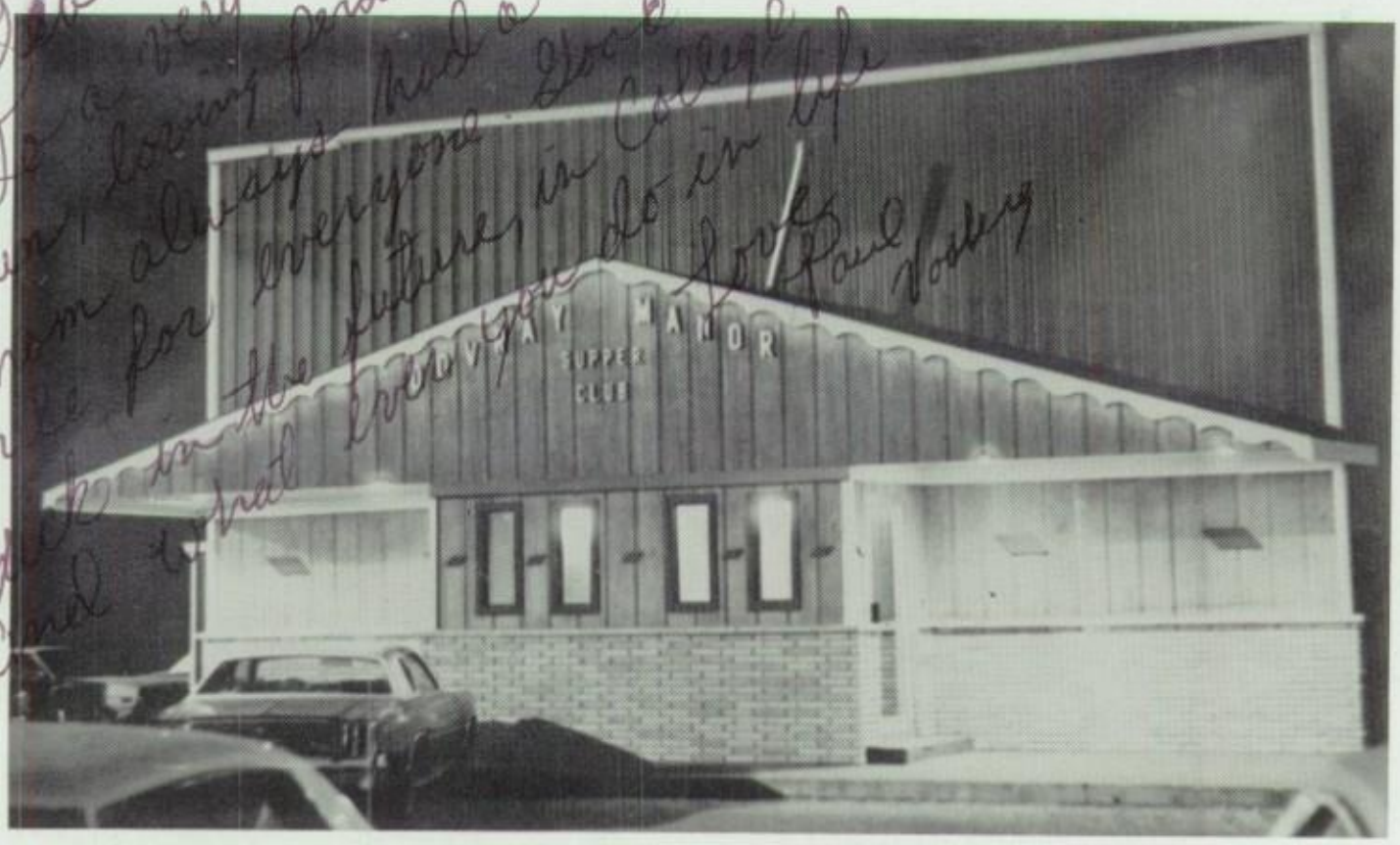

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In May

PETRA VOS: A junior, is from Oudenhone, Holland. She has spent the year in the United States with the Bob Olson family. Petra played an important part on the WHS volleyball team. Some of her hobbies include: bike riding, ice skating, swimming, reading, and dancing.

DIRK DITTERSDORF: A junior, is a native of Kiel, West Germany, and has spent his year in the United States with the Ernie Cohrs family. Dirk was born in Kiel on April 17, 1966, to Wolfgang and Ingrid Dittersdorf and is an only child. He was active in both football and track here at Westbrook. Besides sports, Dirk enjoys playing the guitar, reading books and building remote control models.

IZUMI HIRAKAWA: Thanks to the YFU program, Izumi was able to join us here at WHS as a foreign exchange student. Izumi, a senior, lives in Nogoya, Japan, and in the United States stayed with the Dale Vosberg family. During her spare time, Izumi likes to play piano and a little guitar. She also likes swimming and downhill skiing.

EEVA FOMIN: A senior, is a foreign exchange student from Finland and stayed with the Beryl Morton family while in Westbrook. Her hobbies include listening to just about any kind of music and reading. Eeva has one more year of school in Finland before graduating and then she plans on going to college to become a doctor.

In September

Key to Senior Baby Pictures on Page 72: 1) Char Rachuy, 2) Mike Cross, 3) Steve Elzenga, 4) Lowell Nooman, 5) Bob Shaw, 6) Steve Burns, 7) Mary Kottke, 8) David Schmidt, 9) Judeen Busswitz, 10) Todd Meier, 11) Karin Nelsen, 12) Craig Ohlsen, 13) Mark Schoborg, 14) Dwayne Green, 15) Mark Caswell, 16) Jann Dibble, 17) Barb Horkey, 18) Nancy Morton, 19) David Fowler, 20) LeeLand Mischke.

Key to Senior Baby Pictures on Page 73: 1) Kurt Villa, 2) Laurie Worden, 3) Ann Knutson, 4) Mike Weiske, 5) Jim Lamb, 6) Mike Schultz, 7) Kari Bakken, 8) Rebecca Bloch, 9) Karron Bloch, 10) Elizabeth Olsem, 11) Sue Chapman, 12) Gregg Bunting, 13) Kerri Jans, 14) Curt Mischke, 15) John Kapp, 16) Brian Jenson, 17) Paul Anderson, 18) John Vortherms, 19) Eeva Fomin, 20) Eric Nelsen.

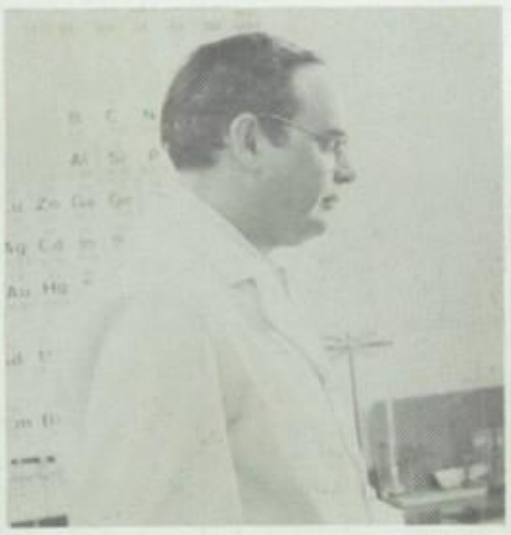
Many reactions have been taking place in the WHS chemistry class lately - not all of them have been in a test tube either!

The excitement began on April 17th, when Teresa Sorenson, bored with her cyanide test's repeated negative results, finally found a hint of pink in a sample of water from Mr. Wiecks' house. (Pink is supposedly the color showing evidence of cyanide.) All too quickly, Teresa's boredom turned into a string of newspaper, radio and TV interviews.

By now, Teresa wasn't the only one included in the excitement, though. By April 21st, the entire chemistry class had been interviewed by four TV stations and several newspapers.

The amusing part about the whole incident was that by the time all the news media decided to pick up the cyanide story, the big scare was over. For by this time, it had already been determined that cyanide wasn't present in the water, but there was an excess of chlorine which was added to cover up the large amount of sulfur.

But for a few days, an academic subject had overshadowed the thrill of even a football or basketball victory at WHS.



"MOON BECOMES A STAR"

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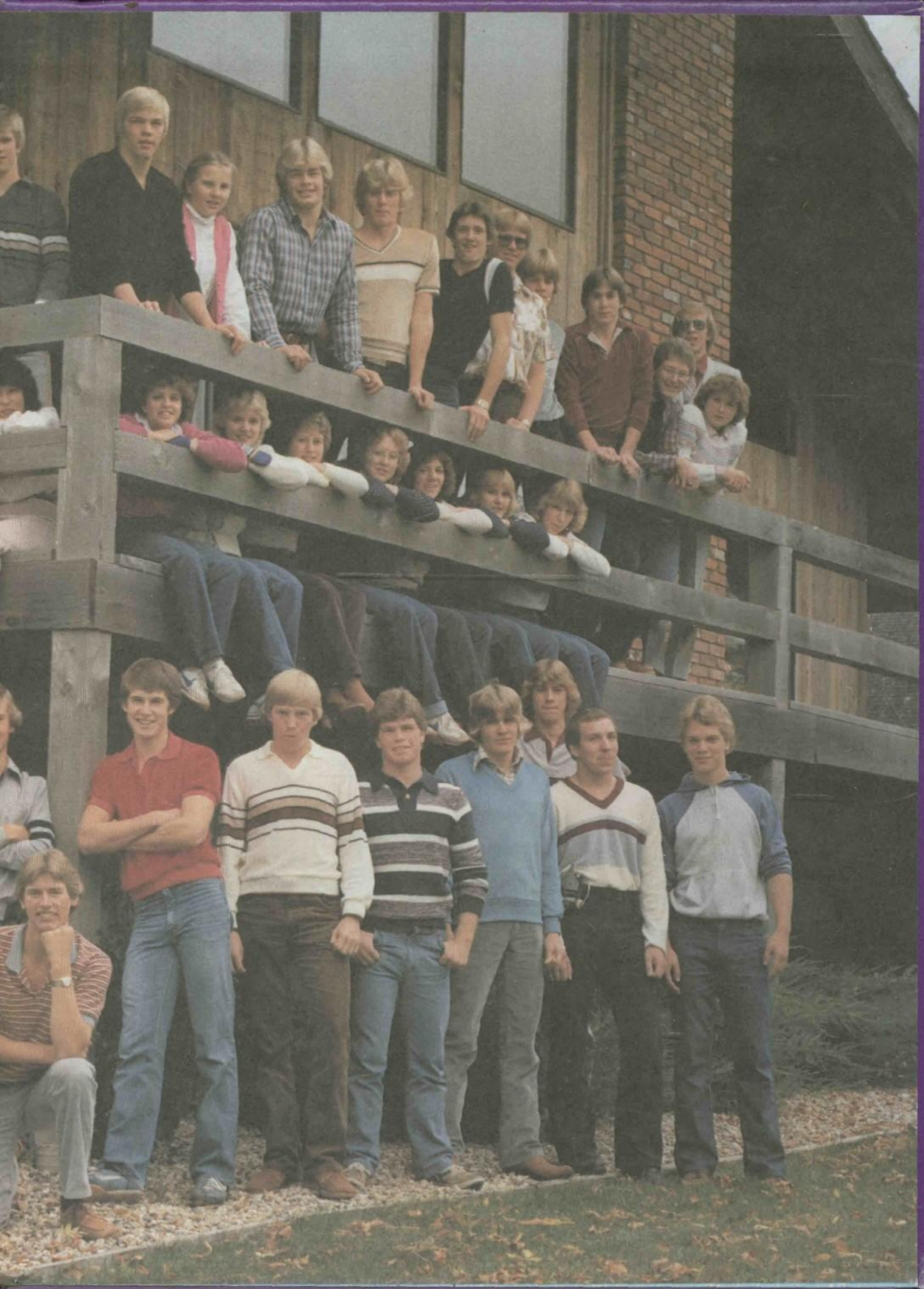
ANNUAL STAFF

Now our journey is complete and it's time to travel on! The 1982-83 road was a mixture of mountains and valleys, but we hope that each of you found your own special memories within the pages of this book that will keep our year alive forever.

The annual staff would like to thank everyone who made this year's annual possible, and we sincerely hope you all enjoyed the memories of a great year, 1982-83.

You never part with memories; they become a part of you 1982-83 - a journey of smiles and laughter, sadness and tears, a journey we will always remember.

Deb,
You're a great
person to be
around. Hope you
both make it through
Woods class! Hope you &
stay sweet & keep
the guys on their toes.
Friends,
Jimmy